

### GERMAN EMBASSY'S ACTIVITIES CAUSE U.S. MUCH ANXIETY

WASHINGTON MAY TAKE SOME  
ACTION TO EFFECT ABANDONMENT OF COURSE.

### ASK RIGHT TO EXAMINE SHIP

Want to See What Is Needed On  
Kronprinz Wilhelm—Hope to  
Sail in Two Weeks.

(Associated Press.)  
Washington, April 13.—The German embassy at Washington has asked the State Department for permission to have the Kronprinz Wilhelm examined to see what repairs are needed to make her seaworthy.

Washington, April 13.—The activities of the German embassy are now regarded as constituting one of the most serious issues confronting the administration in connection with the war in Europe. That some action may be taken soon by this government with a view to effecting an abandonment of the course pursued by the embassy since the war began is indicated here.

Newport News, April 13.—Lieut. Capt. Thierfelder of the German converted cruiser Kron Prinz Wilhelm which dashed into this port through a patrol of four enemy ships, declares that he will put to sea again in a fortnight.

The same determined spirit was evidenced by the German commanding officer in an informal conversation he had with Collector of the Customs Hamilton. To Collector Hamilton he intimated that he was obliged to hasten the work of repairing his ship because he must resume his naval duties at sea in behalf of his government. His remarks to Collector Hamilton are construed as indicating that he had received orders to put to sea again.

### His Talk Old Stuff.

There was a disposition here, however, to take with a grain of salt the Germans declaration of his bold purpose. These were almost identical with the statements made by Capt. Thierfelder of the Eltel Friedrich before he requested permission to intern.

It was learned from an authoritative source that despite the high speed which the engines of the Kron Prinz were able to develop in her dash for the port she is in anything but a proper condition for a renewal of her long voyage. There are reasons for believing that Capt. Thierfelder suspects his ship is leaking. The ship's boilers are also in poor condition and her sides dented in many places from the impact of enemy ships from which she sailed at sea.

### Think Germans Won't Chance It.

Skepticism regarding the Germans declared purpose of putting to sea again has more foundation than the disclosures of condition of her bottom. It is pointed out that the conditions under which she would be forced to attempt to elude the allies' warships off the cape are precisely those which the captain of the Eltel faced previous to his internment. It is believed further that the German government would be even less likely to risk capture for the Kron Prinz Wilhelm than the Eltel because the former is a prize far more precious than the latter. She is one of the best ships of the North German Lloyd fleet.

### HEAGY TO CONDUCT NEW MEAT MARKET

WILL OPEN ESTABLISHMENT IN  
ROOM VACATED BY DE-  
FUNCT COMPANY.

The fixtures in the meat market recently conducted by the Chicago Provision company in the Hofmann building on Galena avenue were sold at sheriff's sale Monday and most of them were bought by David L. Heagy who has leased the store room and will open a market in the next ten days. He went to Chicago today to purchase an ice box and other equipment and expects to have a modern market. Mr. Heagy has had experience in the meat market business, and will carry nothing but first class meats.

### ST LOUIS OFFICIAL IS ARRESTED

(Associated Press.)  
St. Louis, Mo., April 13.—A. H. Frederick, who was elected president of the Board of Aldermen in the Republican landslide Tuesday, was today arrested charged with making fraudulent deeds of trust.

### SENATE DEFEATED PIERCY RESOLUTION; CONSTITUTION

(Associated Press.)  
Springfield, Ill., April 13.—The Piercy resolution, providing for the submission of an amendment to the amending clause of the constitution of the State of Illinois was defeated in the senate today by a vote of 23 to 5.

### Ashton People Join In Chase Of Wily Foxes

Eight Baby Foxes Captured  
Miss Eva Hunt Wounds One  
Chicken Thief With Gun

Ashton, Apr. 13.—Special to Telegraph.—A small portion of the town of Ashton turned out today to join in the excitement of a fox hunt, something that has not been seen in this vicinity for years. The result of the chase was the capture of a litter of eight cute baby foxes. There were two or three full grown foxes which escaped.

The wily animals had been committing depredations in the vicinity of their home, which was in a pasture owned by Dean Wood, about five miles north of Ashton.

Miss Eva Hunt, daughter of Supervisor Hunt of Lafayette township, in Ogle county, saw one of the animals this morning, and getting a gun took a shot at it and crippled the fox, but it got away. News of the affair got around the neighborhood and a fox hunt was organized. Several Ashton men joined in the chase. The chicken pens of the neighborhood will not be safe until the rest of the members of the fox den have been killed or chased out.

### FREEPORT THIEF SHOT BY POLICE

HOBBO ARRESTED FOR STEALING  
TRIES BREAK FOR LIBERTY  
AND GETS PERHAPS FATAL  
GULLET.

Freeport, April 13.—Police Officer George Donstad shot Frank Smith a hobo, here at 630 last evening as the latter was trying to make his escape after being placed under arrest for stealing. The victim may die as the result of the wound.

Early yesterday morning Smith and another man were detected stealing copper wire from the car barns of the Freeport Street Car and Electric company, and were released by the workmen on the condition that they take their immediate leave. Nothing more was seen of either until tonight when the police officer discovered Smith in the act of taking the wire.

The man was placed under arrest and the officer sent in a call for the patrol, but before his arrival the prisoner broke loose and attempted to run away. Officer Donstad fired and brought his man to the ground with a bullet in the fleshy part of the back.

### Is Unknown in Freeport.

The injured man was taken to St. Francis hospital and an effort was made to locate the bullet which is thought to be in the lower part of the spinal canal. The wound is serious and the danger of meningitis setting in is great. If this occurs death is almost certain.

Little is known of the man who is supposed to be Frank Smith, from two letters which were found in his pocket. He is a well built man of about thirty-five years of age and of sandy complexion. No money could be found on him.

### SAYS LEPROSY IS CURABLE

(Associated Press.)  
San Francisco, Apr. 13.—"Leprosy is curable and there is little danger of contracting the disease," said Dr. Adolph Boehmer who arrived today from Siam. "All the house boys I had during my many years in Siam were afflicted with leprosy and I cured all except those whose cases were too far advanced when they came to me."

### VILLA BOMBARDING MATAMOROS

(Associated Press.)  
Brownsville, Tex. April 13.—The bombardment of Matamoros trenches by the Villa besiegers has begun.

### EDITOR NELSON OF KANSAS CITY STAR HAS PASSED AWAY

FAMOUS VETERAN OF THE OLD  
SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM  
DIED AT AGE OF 87.

### DID MUCH FOR STATE AND CITY

Went Into Newspaper Business at the  
Age of Forty—Was Lover of Art—  
Did Not Want Office.

(Associated Press.)

Kansas City, Mo., Apr. 13.—William Rockhill Nelson, editor and owner of the Kansas City Star, died at his home here today at the age of 87. Col. Nelson had been ill for several months, his death resulting from uremic poisoning.

Col. Nelson had been unconscious since last Thursday. His last conference with his associates took place in his bedroom the day before he passed into unconsciousness, and pertained to the necessity of keeping up the fight for honest elections.

"I may not be here to see the fight won," he said, "but the Star must fight on until the rotten system is broken down." Funeral arrangements for the publisher are being completed today.

William Rockhill Nelson was the founder, owner and editor of the Kansas City Star. Although he did not enter the newspaper business until he was nearly forty years old, he became one of the most successful and prominent publishers in the country. Before he tried journalism he had made and lost a fortune as a bridge contractor and had tried his hand with little success at cotton planting in Georgia.

He was bridge builder with headquarters in Indiana in 1878 when Samuel E. Morss, city editor of the Fort Wayne Sentinel, came to him with an ambition to start a newspaper. Nelson had just finished a bridge in Iowa and the county court was to meet and approve his bill the next day. He thought of turning the money he received for the bridge work into Morss' newspaper scheme, but that night a freshet washed away the bridge and Nelson's work was never paid for. "It is this incident more than anything else which plunged me into the newspaper business," said Mr. Nelson. He and Morss purchased the Fort Wayne Sentinel, ran it a year and sold it at a sufficient profit to start a paper on a bigger scale in Kansas City in the fall of 1880. This paper, the Evening Star, quickly found a place in the affairs of Kansas City, and all the middle west, for it became stamped with the vigor of its chief editor. The partner, Morss withdrew on account of ill health after a few months. Colonel Nelson—whose title, conferred upon him by his friends—was largely responsible for developing Kansas City's vast park and other progressive movements. "To make Kansas City a good place to live in." The quotation was a slogan which he always had above his desk.

Although an ardent democrat up to the time of the Tilden-Hayes controversy in 1880, Colonel Nelson as a journalist held himself as an independent in politics. When he was talked of as an ambassador to France during Taft's administration, Colonel Nelson said editorially and characteristically "The editor of the Star is amply occupied, sustained, satisfied with his present job. He regards himself as holding a place of greater responsibility and usefulness than any within the gift of the president or the electorate. Not only has he never been a candidate, active or receptive, for any office, but he never has asked for the appointment of any one else."

Colonel Nelson's fortune was re-

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### ROAD OFFICIALS WILL MEET HERE

A meeting of the County Superintendents of Highways of district No. 2, comprising several of the counties of the northern part of the state of which L. B. Neighbour of this city is chairman, will hold an all day meeting in this city on Thursday. The meeting will be held in the supervisors room at the court house, and matters concerning road work will be discussed. The full program for the day has not yet been fully arranged.

### THE WEATHER

Telegraph Barometer.  
Monday, April 12, 1915

The weather forecast for northern Illinois for the next 24 hours:  
Fair tonight and on Wednesday with probable showers. Warmer.

Local Temperatures.			
	Max.	Min.	Prec.
Sunday	72	43	.6
Monday	58	36	.2
Tuesday	53	28	

### Edison Making Battery For U. S. Submarine L-8

New Form of Storage Battery  
Will Eliminate Danger  
To Her Crew

(Associated Press.)

New York, Apr. 13.—Chief Engineer Hutchinson of the Edison plant of New Jersey today announced that a new form of storage battery is being made for the United States submarine L-8, which is now under construction, and that the battery will eliminate the chief danger to submarine crews—that of chlorine poisoning. The new battery will allow the submarine to be submerged for 100 days without danger of asphyxiation of the crew and will lengthen her undersea cruising radius to 150 miles.

### DENTISTS' ASSN. IN REGULAR MEETING

OFFICIALS WERE ELECTED AT A  
SESSION HELD IN DIXON  
MONDAY EVE.

A very interesting meeting of the Lee-Whiteside Dental association was held at the city hall in this city Monday evening with about 25 dentists from the two counties in attendance. Several interesting and beneficial discussions on subjects pertaining to the profession were indulged in and officers were elected, the following being chosen:

President—R. L. Hopkins, Sterling.  
Vice President—Z. W. Moss, Dixon.  
Sec. Treas.—G. B. Dillon, Sterling.

### HERE INVESTIGATING THEODORE BRINK CASE

SECRET SERVICE MAN WAS IN  
DIXON MONDAY LOOKING  
FOR EVIDENCE

Martin Bratton, a secret service man from Captain Porters office Chicago, spent Monday afternoon in this city looking up evidence in regard to the case of Theo. Brink, charged with the making of counterfeit silver dollars. He interviewed the several merchants on whom the coins had been passed and also procured the two sets of moulds used by Mr. Brink in the making of the dollars which he took back with him to Chicago. The federal grand jury meets in Freeport next week, at which time the evidence as procured will be laid before them.

### STRIKERS RETURN TO WORK

(Associated Press.)  
Chicago, Apr. 13.—Threatened by lockout, 3000 union plasterers who struck March 24, returned to work today.

### AUTO THREATENED BY FLAMES

Fire threatened the automobile of Fred Hemmen yesterday afternoon as it stood on Second street in front of Miller Bros. garage and if it had not been for the arrival of the firemen with a chemical, it might have been badly damaged. The gasoline and grease that had collected in the pan under the engine, caught fire and blazed up.

### Willard Battering Johnson Just Before Putting Over Knockout

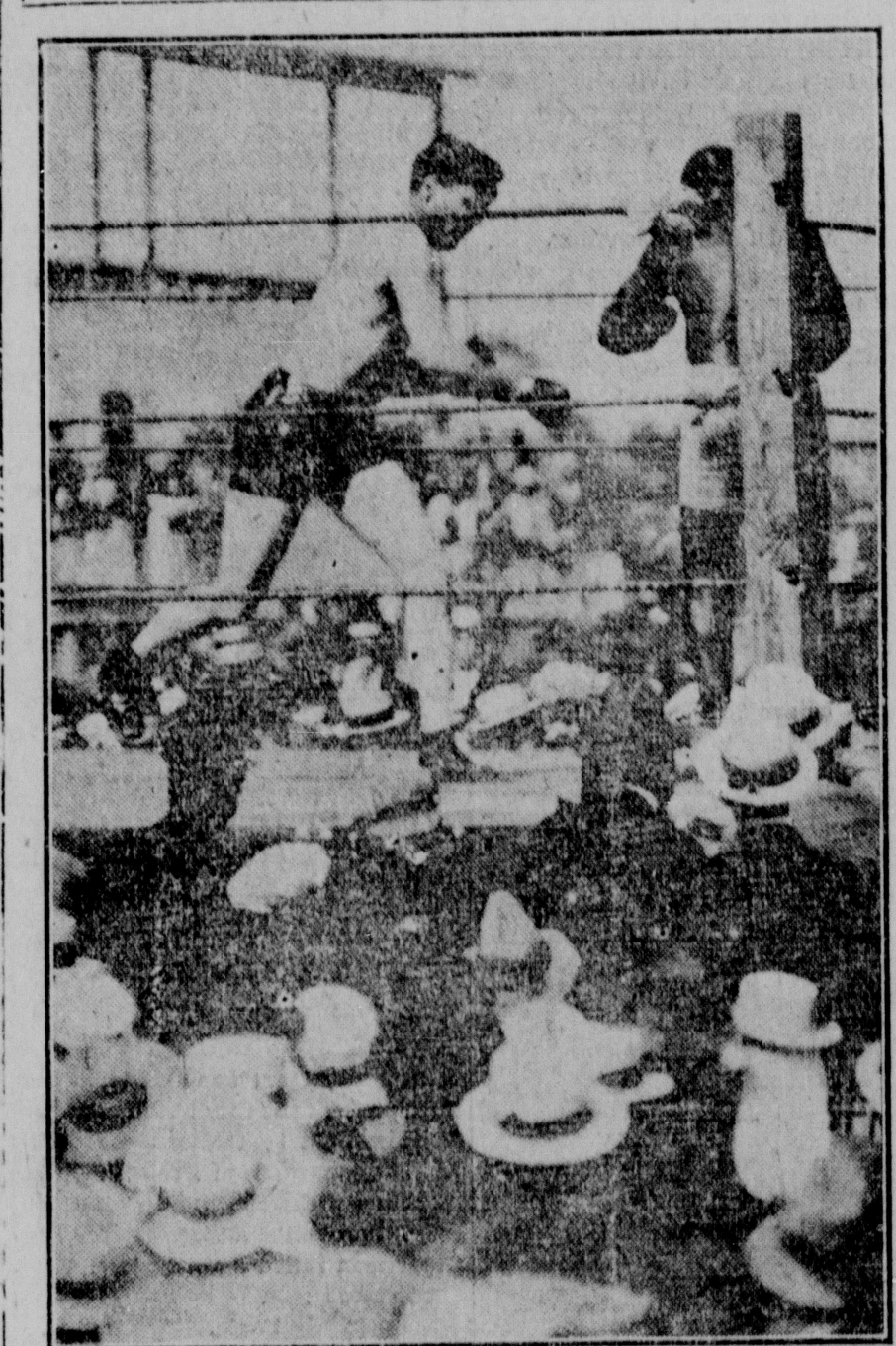


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This remarkable photograph, taken at the ringside in Havana, shows Jess Willard, the new champion, hammering Jack Johnson, the colored fighter, almost at will. After the twentieth round it was apparent that, barring an accident, the big fighter would win. Johnson's years and lack of condition told on him. Youth again was served. A few minutes after this picture was taken Jess Willard was carried out of the ring on the shoulders of his admirers. It looks as if Willard will be one of the most popular champions that ever held the title.

### ILLINOIS CENTRAL CONTEMPLATES NEW BRIDGE AT DIXON

F. O. DRAFER, SUPT. OF BRIDGES  
SAYS WORK MAY START  
THIS SUMMER.

### SURVEYING GRADE TO WOODSUNG

Several Changes Have Been Suggested  
By Operating Department  
Of Road.

F. O. Draper, superintendent of bridges of the Illinois Central railway company, in communication with the Evening Telegraph over the long distance telephone this afternoon, stated that his company is contemplating the erection of a new bridge over Rock River at this place to replace the present structure, which has been condemned for some time, and for which "slow" orders, prohibiting trains to pass over the bridge at a speed greater than fifteen miles an hour, had been issued.

Mr. Draper stated that it is possible the work of construction will start this year, although that detail is in charge of Maro Johnson, chief engineer of bridges and buildings, in whose department the preparation of plans and the arrangements for the work will come. Mr. Draper stated that the new bridge would not be similar to the present structure, but would be an "overhead" structure. He added, however, that no plans had been prepared for the bridge and that no arrangements could be made pending the report of a party of engineers who are now at work in Dixon and north of this city.

At present an engineering crew composed of F. W. Armistead, G. C. Harris, G. M. Anderson, W. J. Swisher, G. E. Trembley, J. H. Saran and B. P. Breward are at work between Dixon and Woodsung surveying to ascertain the advisability of changing the grade of the road in a number of places between the two stations. The changes in grade are thought advisable by the operating department to reduce the cost of hauling trains between the points mentioned.

On their report and the ability to secure suitable approaches, etc., to the new bridge, will depend the decision of the engineers on the time building operations will be started and the nature of the bridge which will replace the present structure.

### GERMANS REPULSE RUSS OPERATIONS IN CARPATHIANS

VIENNA OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCES  
EFFORTS OF RUSS HAVE  
BEEN BLOCKED.

### ITALY GIVES SECOND WAR ORDER

Officers Must Dull Metal on Uniforms  
May Be the Eve of a  
War Move.

(Associated Press.)

ITALY'S PREPARATIONS.  
Orders have been printed in the Military Journal of Rome directing army officers to dull the metal on all uniforms and on the scabbards of their swords. This measure is usually adopted on the eve of war.

### RUSSIANS REPULSED.

It was officially stated at Vienna today that the Russian offensive movement in the Carpathians has been brought to a standstill and that counter attacks had broken the Russian lines in several places.

### WAR SUMMARY.

German forces yesterday resumed the bombardment of the Russian fortress at Ossowetz with their howitzers.

### WILHELM WITH AUSTRIANS.

Five independent Austrian armies under the direction of the German general staff are operating along the Carpathians, according to Petrograd advices. It is said that Emperor Wilhelm is personally supervising work of the staff.

### BLOW UP AUSTRO TRAIN.

Bucharest says that heavy fighting is in progress in Bukovina and that the Russians have blown up one Austrian armored train and damaged another.

### GERMANS ON OFFENSIVE.

The "highest military authorities" in Rome have denied that Germany is considering peace negotiations and have added that the German staff is preparing for a resumption of their offensive movements with vigor.

### ALLIES USE U. S. BASE.

Allies' warships have long been using Magdalena Bay on the lower California coast as a coal and supply base, according to information received at San Diego today.

### DECORATES FRENCH.

The Czar of Russia has decorated 561 French officers and non-commissioned officers and 700 French soldiers.

### FRENCH BOMBARD TURKS.

A battleship with French aircraft yesterday bombarded an important Turkish encampment at Gaza, Southern Palestine.

### REPUBLICAN CAUCUS NAMES BIG COMMITTEE

STEERING ORGANIZATION FORMED AT SPRINGFIELD—TO CONDUCT CAMPAIGN.

(Associated Press.)

Springfield, Ill., Apr. 13.—At a caucus of the republicans of the house the following steering committee was named by Chairman De Young to have charge of the legislative program and to make plans for the next state campaign: Representatives Shurtleff vice chairman, Boyer, Thomas, Curran, Dudgeon, Flag, Funkhouser, W. J. Graham, Holaday, Lyon, McCormick, Pierson, Provine, Renfichler, Rothschild, Scanlan, Smejkal, Tice, Schoelz, Turnbaugh, Watson, George H. Wilson.

### DIXON LADIES PASS CIVIL SERVICE EXAM.

MISSSES EDNA AND CAROL DECKER PASS WITH HIGHEST AVERAGES.

Misses Edna and Carol Decker, daughters of Edar J. Decker of 733 East Third street, have received word that they have successfully passed the civil service examination for clerk in the Dixon postoffice. They were the only ladies in the class taking the examination and the fact that their marks were the highest attained by any of the candidates is an honor which causes them and their friends rejoicing.

FRED D. DANA.



# Vest Pocket Essays

## PROPHETS.

A prophet is a man who is able to say "I told you so," and prove it.

He is a man who wears his hindsight before; who is able to read the future as easily as if it were a Walt Mason prose poem; who can write a book of interesting history beginning with the day after next year and then sit around at ease waiting for time to catch up with him.

Prophets are as old as history, but have been steadily deteriorating for thousands of years. In biblical times there were great prophets who could not only tell what was going to happen in the next generation but would linger along and see that it came true. Nowadays, however, about the best a prophet can do is to put his prophecies a long way ahead, and live on his reputation, discreetly retiring from view before history hands him the cruel, raucous ha ha.

A batting average of .001 is very good for a modern prophet. Still people are very easily satisfied nowadays. If a prophet makes 1,000 guesses and one of them comes true, he rises to great honor and his book goes into the eleventh edition in two

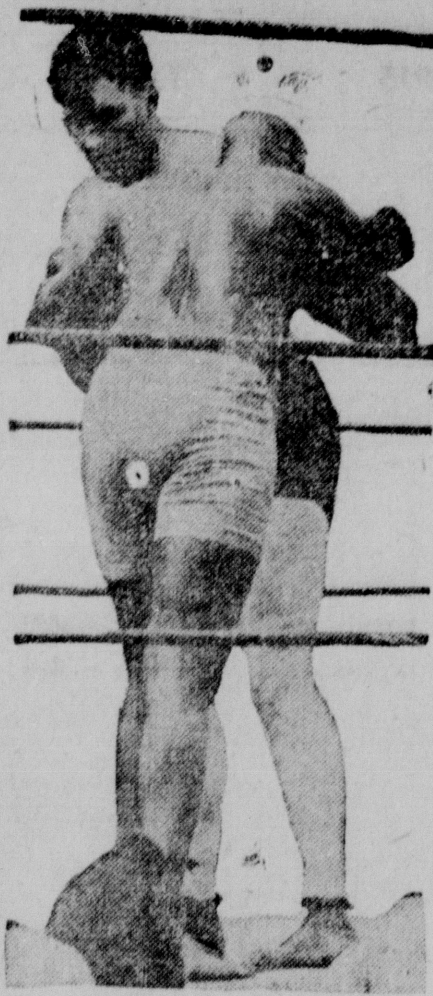
weeks. There are three kinds of prophets today; those who prophesy for revenue only; those who are in a state of continual slumber over what is going to happen in 1920; and those who are trying to figure out whether the public can stand them in office another term. Joe Canno, Bill McKinley and Charley Curtis are the greatest American prophets today. They came out of the cyclone cellar last year and ran for election on the republican ticket. Senators Burton, Root and others who retired to said cyclone cellars, just after the storm blew over, should take a correspondence course in plain and fancy forecasting.

The greatest war of history broke loose last year but very few prophets were on the job. Madame de Thebes of Paris was the only one who discovered it heading in from the dim mists of the future and as she has been prophesying it regularly for twenty years anyway she was bound to win if her health and endurance held out.

Most of our modern prophets are engaged in trying to discover which way the price of wheat and various stocks are going to jump tomorrow. This is why prophets are so poor and must be avoided so carefully when one has money to lend. The men who make money on the price of things tomorrow are not the men to pry into the future with a jimmy and find out, they are the men who manufacture the said prices today.

## JUST BEFORE THE END

Willard and Johnson in Ring in the Final Round.



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## SALZMAN'S TEAM TIE FOR THIRD PLACE

WON THREE STRAIGHT GAMES FROM POOLE'S BOWLERS MONDAY EVE.

Salzman's team was able to tie for third place in the City bowling league Monday night by taking three consecutive games from Poole's men at the Brunswick alleys. In all three games they rolled a score of over 800. Every man rolled a good game.

	Poole.	
Poole	191	164
Elliott	126	134
Hoyer	137	176
Heick	122	167
Kelly	158	163
	733	800
Salzman	167	143
Lynds	175	191
Long	147	167
Packard	131	153
Blackburn	180	177
	800	825

## CLAIMS FRENCH BEATEN OFF

Berlin Says Attack on St. Michel Wedge Falls.

Berlin, April 13.—The new French attempt to crush the German wedge between the Meuse and Moselle has been defeated with enormous losses, according to dispatches received here. While the onslaughts continue with great fierceness, the enemy has suffered a definite check on both sides of the wedge.

The French losses in the last week's fighting in this region are variously estimated at between 15,000 and 40,000. These figures are based on reports that at isolated points in the battle zone from 400 to 1,000 bodies of French soldiers have been found.

## PALMYRA.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Martin of Dixon spent Sunday at the William Martin home.

Mrs. John Trough and baby are slowly improving from an attack of the grip.

George Harms lost a valuable horse last week.

Mrs. E. A. Covert was shopping in Dixon Friday.

Milton Rossiter has purchased a new automobile.

Walter Chronister was in Dixon on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harms entertained a few friends with cards Tuesday evening.

John Sheaffer was in Dixon Saturday.

Miss Blandine McKenna spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McKenna.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Busby visited in Dixon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Reigle were shopping in Dixon Friday.

Miss Elizabeth McGaffey spent last Thursday evening at the E. A. Covert home near Woodstock.

Miss Vernie Hsberneck visited at the George Harms home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Scott and daughter Deloras and Mr. and Mrs. James Scott motored to Amboy Sunday.

Miss Ruth McWethy of Dixon spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McWethy.

## WALTON

Walton, Apr. 12.—The entertainment and dance which was to have been given at St. Mary's Hall Tuesday evening, is postponed until next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brewster of Dixon visited with friends in East Grove over Sunday, returning home Monday.

Miss Marie Morrissey and Mayme Whalen returned to Clinton, Ia., Sunday afternoon to resume school duties, after a week's visit with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fitzpatrick are the happy parents of a baby girl arriving at their home Monday morning.

Marriage banns were read for the third time last Sunday for Miss Nellie Morrissey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Morrissey and Peter McCoy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McCoy. The marriage will take place on Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock at St. Mary's church.

Mrs. James Dempsey is ill at her home with a lame limb; not being able to be about, Miss Lannen is assisting her with her household duties.

Mrs. P. H. Morrissey and daughter Lizzie, were Dixon visitors last Saturday.

F. J. Whitmore and family were Sunday visitors with friends in Harmon.

Mike Harvey has purchased a 5-passenger Ford car of Morrissey & McCoy.

Thomas Feely of Chatsworth, is here looking over farm interests.

Mrs. Addie Rootstock and two children of Wisconsin, are here for an extended visit with relatives.

J. J. Morrissey and Max Gerdes motored to Dixon Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Jensen and Pauline are visiting Mrs. Jensen's parents at Chatsworth this week.

C. C. Fisher and Ben Lewis of Amboy transacted business in this vicinity last Saturday.

Frank O'Malley passed away at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary O'Malley, Monday morning at 10 o'clock. He has been a patient sufferer the past few months with tuberculosis and his death was not unexpected.

Mr. and Mrs. Will O'Malley of Chicago are here for a visit with relatives.

## NELSON NEWS ITEMS

Nelson, Apr. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. George Onken and daughter Winifred visited relatives in Crystal Lake, a couple of days the past week.

John Ortigiesen is having his residence property resingled.

Mr. and Mrs. George Short have returned from a visit in Peoria with relatives.

T. L. Seaton of Elburn and Miss Tina Ortigiesen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Agnew at Agnew, Ill.

Mrs. Mary Johnson and Mrs. Harriet McKinstry spent Friday with relatives in Sterling.

M. C. Stitzel is having an addition built to his store to be used as a store room.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sturtz and daughters were guests Sunday of the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Zangner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ortigiesen of Milwaukee, Wis., were entertained at the John Ortigiesen home several days last week.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet Wednesday with Mesdames G. C. Stewart and M. C. Stitzel. All are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. John Janison were visited Friday by Mrs. Dietrick Reams and daughter Emma Janssen and Mrs. Charles Janssen and daughter Mabel.

## FEDERAL LEAGUE.

At Baltimore—R. H. E. Newark ..... 011123000—5 10 1 Baltimore ..... 200002001—5 14 2 Batteries—Kaiserling and Hub; Smith, Surps, Wilhelm and Owens.

At Brooklyn—R. H. E. Buffalo ..... 300000101—5 5 1 Brooklyn ..... 04110100x—7 8 4 Batteries—Krafft, Ehme, Bediet, Woodman and Blair; LaFitte, Upham and Land.

At Kansas City—R. H. E. Pittsburgh ..... 000000000—0 5 1 Kansas City ..... 00100100x—3 7 0 Batteries—Hearnes, Dickson and Perry; Collop and Easterly.

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Get a can today from your hardware or grocery dealer.

## AMBOY

Amboy, Apr. 10.—The announcement has been made of the approaching marriage of Miss Mary Cullen of Amboy and William Ryan of DuBuque.

Wednesday noon, a team belonging to Edward Prannigan, ran away, striking scared at an exhaust of steam from the creamery. They ran across Main street, striking the city drinking fountain, and the iron electric light pole, at the corner of Jones St., demolishing the top of the fountain and tearing the pole from its fastening, breaking the boulevard lights to pieces. One horse was so severely injured by the plow which was attached to the team, that it had to be shot, the other horse breaking loose, escaped any serious injury.

Mrs. Frank Buckley of Aurora is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Holleran.

A birthday party was held at the home of Mrs. Charles Berkley, Monday night.

Helen Finch entertained Dorothy and Lila Wahnke of Dixon a few days last week, at her home on Plant street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tinker expect to move to Cleveland, O., in a few days, where they will live with Mr. Tinker's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Long have moved to their farm, east of the city.

Norman Jewett is seriously ill at his home on Main street. Burt Finch has his mail route at present.

The garage owned by J. P. Harvey and managed by E. Neville is having a 40x80 ft. addition built to it.

The Woman's club has rented the piano, which they intended having sold at auction, today, at the library door.

George Bansa, son of John Bansa, of this city, had his left hand caught in a mowing machine in a cement factory which he conducts in Bloomington, necessitating the amputation of the fingers.

The Amboy post office has been promoted to the highest place in the third class offices. The business has increased to a considerable margin above the preceding year.

Miss Irene Brannigan entertained the S. S. H. club, at her home on Jones street Saturday afternoon.

Clark and Mason have decided to close out their auction store, at one o'clock today, by a great sale at the corner of Main street and east avenue, in the Briggs' block.

Misses Josie and Mary Kehoe, and brother Will, spent few days last week, at the home of their parents, in this city.

The Commercial club entertainment course will be concluded April 15, at which time the Castle Square Entertainers, will present a very high class number of vocal and instrumental music. Seats will be on sale at the Aschenbrenner pharmacy at 8:30 Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Pales of Rockford visiting Amboy friends last Thursday.

Mrs. R. L. Jenkins has returned from a visit with her sister at Riverside.

Mrs. James Lester spent a week with her daughter, Mrs. Anderson in Sterling.

W. F. Colson and R. Crawford of Mendota were in this city Thursday.

Mrs. A. J. Brown of Chicago was visiting at the Wooster home on Mason street this week.

A party of young ladies were entertained by Mrs. C. E. Ives at her home, on Main street, Tuesday evening.

John Edwards of Chicago, traveling salesman, was here last Wednesday, calling on his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Edwards.

J. S. Briggs spent Wednesday in Chicago.

Miss Harriet James was home from the State University during the week end.

Amboy will soon have a new pumping system for the city water supply from the artesian well. Louis Entori has charge of the work, and is pushing it rapidly. In the meantime, the old fire engine has been called into service to pump the water for the city. A main has also been laid to the Illinois Central tank, which could be used in case of an emergency, but to the present, has not been used. In the new pump, the water will be forced through a much larger passage than before, and electricity will be the motive power. The hydraulic engineer has inspected the work during the past week.

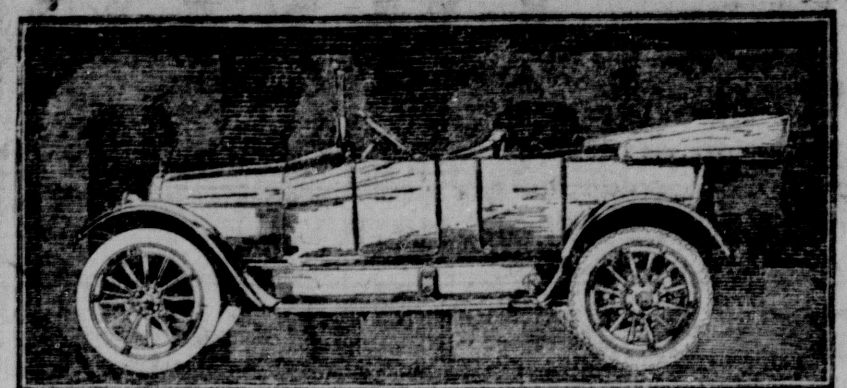
Leon Barlow is going to build a new residence on his lot on West Division street. At present he is engaged in tearing down the old house, in which he has resided for a number of years.

S. M. Goode made a trip to Chicago Friday. He has purchased the John Lehan house on Jefferson avenue, recently occupied by A. S. Tinker.

F. N. Vaughn is having some improvements made on his home on Jefferson avenue.

J. McCoy visited friends in Clinton, Ill., last week.

Miss Marie Koesler spent the week



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## STEWART

Stewart, Apr. 21.—The Domestic Science club will meet at the home of Mrs. Kimball on Friday, April 16th, at 2:30 p. m.

A short program has been arranged as follows: Music; Miss Barber, of Malta; roll call, favorite flower; paper, "Treatment of Walls," Miss Ruby Yetter; music. Those wishing to become members of the club should either see or telephone the secretary, Miss Florence Kimball.

## Obituary.

Mrs. Emma Lou St. Clair, daughter of Hartman and Catherine St. Clair, was born at Washington, Montour Co., Pa., on Jan. 21, 1848. On Feb. 20th, 1868 she was united in marriage to Wm. A. Mirely of Lee county, Ill. To this union were born three children, Mrs. Cora Biggart of West Brooklyn; Curtis E. of Rockford, Ill.; and Gay C. of Sterling, Ill. When 14 years of age she united with the Methodist church of which she remained a good member all her days. She was a faithful and tireless worker in the interests of the Master's kingdom, superintending a Sunday school in West Brooklyn for many years, and when the workers were few, teaching a Sunday school class. Sister Mirely was a rare soul, a leader whose place is hard to fill in the church and community. The end came after a brief illness on April 2nd 1915. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, William A. Mirely, two sons, one daughter, two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Everett of Charleston, Ia.; and Mrs. Mary Shadman of Emporium, Pa.; one brother, J. H. St. Clair, of West Point, Neb.; and a large circle of other relatives and friends. Funeral services were held at the West Brooklyn church on Tuesday of last week, the Rev. F.

end in Sublette, the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Peter Leuer is very ill at her home on Division street.

Edward Rocho of Freeport visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rocho, north of the city, for a few days, last week.

Mrs. David Burkhardt of West Brooklyn, was shopping in this city today.

## SPOKE IN ROCHELLE.

Secretary E. T. Bailey of the Y. M. C. A. was in Rochelle Monday afternoon where he addressed a meeting of the Woman's club on the subject of "Play Grounds." He spoke at length on systemic play and the advantage gained by a boy or girl if taught how to develop their muscles. In the evening he addressed a meeting of young men at the Presbyterian church.

## HOUSEKEEPERS.

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Many a girl who ought to be married and (occasionally) happy, is still single and soured just because she took the advice of some old fool bachelor who edits a Heart Problem Department in some magazine.

Don't be fussy. It's a foolish waiter who resigns his job just because the chef makes the soup so hot that it burns the waiter's thumbs.

The old-fashioned girl who used to blush when some one spoke of a legacy, now has a daughter who has to attend the Passing Show to see if she is too naughty for mother.

Some women will have a perfectly good afternoon weeping over imaginary sorrows of the heroine of a three act thriller, and then go home and pout because hubby kicks on seventh day hash for dinner.

Can the purchase of a phonograph be called a "good, sound investment?" We are a 2 k.

## In the Rear.

German-American (making a speech)—Put as for me, dere is only von course, unt dot is forwart, for I haf purnt my piches behind me.

## Both Dangerous.

Miss Bute—You really should give up smoking it affects the heart.

Jack Lover—By that reasoning I ought to give you up, too.

## Had Him There.

He—I never see a woman smoking a cigaret but I remind her that she is driving another nail in her coffin.

She—I thought you men claimed that a women couldnt drive a nail.

"What is 'brilliant, repartee'?"

"Brilliant repartee," my boy, in modern society, is snappy conversation, having seventeen meanings, sixteen of which no lady ought to know.

## High Brow, High Price.

"Farm products cost more than they used to."

"Yes," replied the farmer. "When a farmer is supposed to know the botanical name of what he's raising, an the entomological name of the insect that eats it, an' the pharmaceutical name of the chemical that will kill it, somebody's got to pay."

## CLOSING OUT SALE.

John Herbst held a closing out sale at his farm near Nachusa yesterday, which was largely attended. Everything brought good prices.

## NOTICE.

State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance to a request in writing addressed to the undersigned county clerk of said county, by one-third of the members of the Board of Supervisors, a special meeting of said Board will be held, to convene on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1915, at the hour of two o'clock P. M., at the Court House in the City of Dixon in said County, to perfect organization and to transact any other business that may properly come before the Board.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 13th day of April, A. D. 1915.

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## Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

### CALENDAR EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

**Tuesday.**  
Missionary Society Grace Evangelical church—Mrs. Phil Miller.  
Community Training School Banquet—Presbyterian church.

**Wednesday.**  
Cly Alty club—Mrs. Louis Drummond.  
M. W. A.—Miller Hall.  
North Side High School Operetta and Play—Family Theatre.  
Silent club—Mrs. Ray Schrock.  
W. C. O. F.—K. C. Hall.

**Thursday.**  
Social Tea—Mrs. Charles McKenney, Hennepin avenue.

**Friday.**  
Dorothy Chapter—Masonic Hall.  
Knights and Ladies of Security—Miller Hall.

**Visiting in Chicago.**  
Mrs. L. E. Jacobson accompanied her sister Mrs. C. N. Porter to Chicago Sunday to visit over Monday.

**Took Auto Ride.**  
The following young men formed an auto party Sunday and motored to Polo and Oregon—Joseph Clark, Hugh Senneff, Lyle Messer, Urban O'Malley, Bud Cheney and William Root.

**Home Guards Met.**  
The Home Guards of the M. E. church, met in a very pleasant meeting at the home of Miss Esther Winn on Hennepin avenue, Saturday afternoon. There was a good attendance and all report a most delightful time.

**Meet Thursday Eve.**  
The regular meeting of the W. C. O. F. will be held at the K. C. hall on Thursday evening of this week instead of on Wednesday as was erroneously announced last evening.

**Young Men to Entertain.**  
Thirteen young men of the two high schools will entertain their friends at a dancing party at Rosbrook's hall Friday evening for which the Marquette orchestra will furnish the music. The hosts-to-be are: Russell Byers, Ray Curran, Edward Devine, Mahlon Dollahan, Robt. Fulton, Jr., Edward Howell, Frank McCarty, Urban O'Malley, Edward Jones and George Schuler.

**The Flag Corners Club.**  
The Flag Corners Embroidery club will meet Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. William Slothower on West Third street.

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**Cly Alty Club.**  
The Cly Alty club will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Louis Drummond on College avenue.

**Visiting Parents.**  
Mrs. Edward Coe of Springfield is here visiting with her parents, Prof. and Mrs. F. D. Strong on Third St.

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### Miller-Stroup.

Mr. Oris L. Miller and Miss Mary M. Stroup were quietly married Saturday, March 27, at noon at the court house by Judge Everett Smith. Mr. Miller is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Miller. Mrs. Miller is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stroup. Both Mr. and Mrs. Miller have positions with Frederick & Nelson. The bridal party was accompanied by Mrs. Lulu Blair and Mrs. Melvin W. Deeter, sister of Mr. Miller. The young couple will go to housekeeping the first of May at 2332 North Sixty-fourth street, where they will be at home to their friends.—Seattle Daily Times.

### Reception.

A reception was given Monday evening, April 6, in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Oris L. Miller, in honor of their marriage, which took place Saturday, March 27. The reception was given by Mrs. Melvin W. Deeter, sister of Mr. Miller and Mrs. Harry Stroup, sister-in-law of the bride, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oris L. Miller. The rooms were beautifully decorated with pink and white carnations.

A musicale furnished entertainment for the occasion. Miss Linda Seeds presided at the punch bowl.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. M. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bathrick, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Grubb, Mrs. Rudolph and daughter Miss Zena, Mr. Harold Eyl, Miss Bertha Eyl, Mr. James Smith, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Meade, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stapleton, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stapleton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin J. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Miller, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Straup, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin W. Deeter and son Harold, Mrs. Georgiana Wilcox, Mrs. Robert A. Turner, and Miss Linda Seeds.

### Demonstrator at C. C. Circle.

Arthur L. Wilson, representing the Wear-Ever Aluminum Cooking Ware company, held a demonstration under the auspices of the C. C. Circle at the Christian church yesterday afternoon. Hot waffles, baked without grease, beef pot roast with out water and percolated coffee were prepared and served to an audience of forty-two ladies, and a very pleasant time was the pleasure of all.

### The Unity Guild Meets.

The Unity Guild of the Peoples church, will meet at the church parlors, Thursday afternoon. Business of importance is to be transacted and all members are urged to be present.

### Charming Birthday Dinner.

The home of Mrs. Harry Gerdes, 307 Grant avenue was the scene of a charming birthday dinner last evening, when guests to the number of thirty-five gathered to help Mrs. Gerdes celebrate her birthday anniversary. The dinner was served at 6 o'clock the table being prettily decorated in pink and white, carnations being used throughout the house.

Following the dinner, the evening was spent in games and music and at a late hour the guests departed for their various homes, wishing Mrs. Gerdes many more such happy celebrations.

Among the guests were: Mrs. Adam Helderman and daughter Edna of Amboy, Miss Louise Gerdes and Mrs. Louise Gerdes and Henry Kottenbrink of Palmyra.

### Visited Here Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wagner of Ashton motored to this city Sunday and were guests of the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wagner of West Second street.

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### Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lievan had as their dinner guests, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Meppin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lievan and daughter, Avis, Miss Minnie McCleary and Harold McCleary of South Dixon and Orville McCleary of the Kingdom.

### Entertained Club.

The Original Six Club were delightfully entertained last evening at the home of one of the members, Miss Lulu Baughman on Highland Ave.

### Visited in Ashton.

Miss Jennie Oakes was a Sunday visitor at the William Bettner home in Ashton.

### Return to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russell of Chicago, who spent the week end at the home of the former's mother Mrs. M. D. Grimes on Seventh street, returned to Chicago this morning accompanied by Mrs. Grimes, who will visit with them for a short time.

### At Lutheran Church.

The Ladies of St. Paul's Lutheran church with their friends are invited to spend a social afternoon Thursday in the parlors of the church. The affair will be given in honor of the new members who were recently taken into the church.

### Entertained Guests at Tea.

Mr. and Mrs. George Runion of north Galena avenue had as guests at tea, Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Curtis and family.

### Guests in Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Bartoli of this city were guests Sunday in Sterling the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ebberly.

### Entertain M. E. Aid.

Mrs. Watts, Mrs. Bunnell and Miss Callie Morgan will entertain Mrs. Busby's section of the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Watts. All ladies of the division are urged to be present.

### Sunday Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mall and friend Kenneth and Miss Cleo Deeter of this city, were Sunday guests at the Joseph Mall home in Ashton.

### Tea Club.

Mrs. E. N. Howell of North Dixon entertained the members of the Tea club at her home this afternoon.

### Dance This Evening.

The members of Mrs. Kaylor's dancing class who have promoted the informal dancing party to be given at the Armory this evening, have invited a large number of their friends to the affair, and the indications are for an exceptionally large and happy attendance. All of the dances which the pupils have learned during the winter will be on the program this evening. Music will be furnished by the Marquette orchestra.

### Sunshine Class Social.

The monthly social of the Sunshine Sunday school class of the Lutheran church will be held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. James Seybert, 1313 Peoria avenue. All members are invited to attend and invite their friends.

### Junior Choir Practice.

The Junior Choir of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet at the church this evening at 7:30 o'clock for practice.

### To Summer Home.

Dr. E. A. Sickels left this evening for Marionette and Flambeau, Wis., where his summer cottage is, and will spend a short time getting the cabin in order and purchasing a launch for use on the lake. There is splendid fishing and hunting in the vicinity of the local physician's cabin and he anticipates much pleasure there. He will be back in Dixon on Thursday evening.

### SOAP IS BAD

### FOR THE HAIR

Soap should be used very sparingly, if at all, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulitseed coconut oil (which is pure and greaseless), is cheaper and better than soap or anything else you can use. One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulitseed coconut oil at any pharmacy, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.

### Visiting Daughter.

Mrs. Howard of St. Petersburg, Fla., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Campbell of this city.

### Here from Decatur.

Miss Whitaker of Decatur, Ill., is a guest at the home of Mrs. Julia Boren on North Dixon avenue.

### St. Agnes Guild.

The members of St. Agnes Guild will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 in the Guild Rooms of the Episcopal church. The hostesses for the afternoon will be Mrs. E. A. Clevidence and the Misses Edna Rosbrook and Mary Todd. All members are urged to be present.

### Enjoyed Good Supper.

The Guild ladies of St. Luke's Episcopal church gave a very successful supper in the Guild room of the church last evening. The supper was greatly enjoyed by large number. Rev. Frederick Grant who has come to take the local church, was present and met a number of Dixon people.

### Hurd-Slocum.

Sterling Gazette—A quiet wedding Saturday evening in Morrison united two of its prominent young people, Miss Venessa Hurd becoming the bride of Mr. Dean Slocum. The wedding was a very quiet affair, Rev. Walter Cremeans of the Presbyterian church reading the service in the new home prepared by the groom, members of the immediate families being the only guests. The bride wore a pretty gown of white marquisette.

Mr. and Mrs. Slocum left on a morning train Sunday for St. Paul and Chicago where they spend a ten days honeymoon. On their return they will receive their friends in their new home after May 1. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Hurd of Morrison and has many warm friends. Mr. Slocum is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Slocum and is well and favorably known. For the past year he has been employed as cashier at the North Western freight office in Morrison.

Mrs. Slocum is a cousin of Mr. J. E. Clark of Highland avenue and has visited in this city a number of times, making friends with many who join together in wishing her happiness in her future life.

### Visited Mrs. Bechtel.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brooker and Master Paul Jr. spent Sunday in Nachusa with her mother, Mrs. Bechtel, who has been suffering for some time with a fractured shoulder.

### Martin-McGowan.

Miss Grace Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Martin, and Raymond McGowan, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McGowan, of this city, were quietly married in Chicago Monday evening, and they have advised their friends that after a short visit in Joliet they will return to Dixon the end of the week to make their home here. Both are popular young people, whose many friends will unite in congratulations.

### Villa Troops Defeated.

Laredo, Tex., April 13.—Villa troops were defeated shortly after noon in a battle with Carranza forces between Huaschito and Jarilla, thirty miles south of Nuevo Laredo, opposite this city, according to a telephone message received here. The constitutionalist force numbered about 2,000 men and the Villista army 1,500.

## DID CHILD WAKE UP CROSS OR FEVERISH

Look, Mother! If Tongue Is Coated, Give "California Syrup of Figs."

Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills; give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs" and then look and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Counterfeits are being sold here. Don't be fooled!

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15 ft. x 11-3 ft.	9 ft. x 6-9 ft.	6 ft. x 4-6
13-6 ft. x 10-6 ft.	9 ft. x 6 ft.	18 ft. x 27 in.
12 ft. x 10-6 ft.	36 in. x 36 in.	15 ft. x 27 in.
15 ft. x 9 ft.	63 in. x 36 in.	12 ft. x 27 in.
12 ft. x 9 ft.	54 in. x 27 in.	9 ft. x 27 in.
10-6 ft. x 9 ft.	36 in. x 22½ in.	18 ft. x 36 in.
9 ft. x 9 ft.	36 in. x 27 in.	15 ft. x 36 in.
10-6 ft. x 8-3 ft.	30 in. x 30 in.	12 ft. x 36 in.
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9 ft. x 7 ft.	7-6 x 4-6	9 ft. x 36 in.

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## RUSS SWEEPING OVER HUNGARY

Czar's Army Captures Last Remaining Carpathian Height.

### PEACE TALK AGAIN OBTRUSIVE

Muscovites Advance Over 75 Miles Front Within Two Days' March of Hungarian Plains—Austrian Armies Cut Off—Evacuation of Bukovina Predicted.

Petrograd, April 13.—Petrograd newspapers again assert that Austria-Hungary has asked peace terms through a neutral power, presumably Switzerland. Reports to this effect have been confirmed from authoritative sources, the newspaper asserted. The fall of Permian and the fear that Italy, and perhaps Roumania, will enter the war on the side of the allies has created a spirit of despondency in Franz Joseph's army, according to dispatches received here.

Russ Sweep Into Hungary. London, April 13.—By the capture of the last remaining height in the main range of the Carpathians the Russians have placed the Western Boskias range behind them and the Muscovite army over a distance of 75 miles is now sweeping down the southern slopes of the mountains, following the water courses and the railways, according to dispatches from Petrograd.

They are within two or three days' march of the great Hungarian plain. The magnificent achievement of the czar's troops consists of having hurled the Austrians not only from the fundamental Carpathian chain, but also from the parallel chains to the north of which the Galician slopes are very steep and intersected by tortuous defiles.

### Losses Are Immense.

The Austrian losses were immense and their reinforcements were insignificant. The armies of Generals Boerovitch, Ben and Ermoli are cut off from their base by the Russians, first between Storlo and Smolnik and second between Smolnik and Volasate.

This situation imperils the fourth army under Archduke Charles Ferdinand in the Northern Carpathians and General Litzing's army before Kozluyka. Both are fated to fall back without fighting to the line of General Boerovitch's army, while the Austrian evacuation of Bukovina also is about to become strategically certain.

\$1,000,000 Florida Aviation Station. Mobile, Ala., April 13.—One million dollars is to be spent by the government for an aviation station at Pensacola, Fla., Secretary of the Navy Daniels announces here.

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### German Attacks Fail, Says Paris.

Paris, April 13.—The French war office reports that German forces have failed in an attempt to gain back some of the ground lost at Les Esparges. Similar attacks made in Le Prete woods were repulsed. Otherwise the French authorities say their entire front has been quiet.

### British Steamer Does Like Rest.

London, April 13.—The steamship Wayfarer of British registry has been struck by a German torpedo. Some reports that she was sunk while others have it that she is being towed into Queenstown.

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The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

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The letter the committee sends out to the press, one of which was received by the Telegraph, is a direct appeal. In part it says:

Thousands of families in this nation have sons, relatives or friends fighting or dying, or already wounded or dead, for one or the other of the countries engaged in this most disastrous war. The bullets that speed across the stricken plains of France or Poland find an answering throb of anguish here before our eyes.

We feel that America with all Europe as its motherland, knit by ties of blood to every warring nation, has a peculiar duty and opportunity. It must not stand by and let the war go on to the exhaustion of the countries involved, with further desolation and suffering to the millions and the destruction of the most precious heritage that our forefathers have left us from the past. Our voices will be heard, if the word is firmly spoken that THE WAR MUST END NOW.

It is time that religion should speak—that the children of one God and Father should realize that their faith in Him is not vain, nor their belief dead. "Thou shalt not kill" rings today as clearly as it has through the centuries of religious history from the cloud-topped summit of Sinai, and we who worship this paternal Lord must lift our voices and exert our influence, lest even indirectly America should participate in this unhappy struggle of nations, lest the desire for profit on the part of a few keep us from realizing our great opportunity as peacemaker. Once our hands are clean to command in the name of the Lord of Battles who is also our God of Love, that this strife among brothers must cease.

We ask that you act with us that our President may soon be able to voice the united word of our entire population that THE WAR MUST STOP NOW.

## PROBLEM DISPOSED OF.

The Eitel as a "problem" is disposed of at last. The famed German commerce destroyer is interned and saved to German commerce. After the war is over she will resume her peaceful employment as a passenger carrier. Germany can philosophically console itself with the Eitel's internment by saying that so much is saved from the enemy. There was really no other choice open to the commander of the Eitel. He was between Satan and Davy Jones, for it now appears that while to make the steamer seaworthy was a short operation, to give her back her old speed would have required months for repainting. A slow Eitel would have been an easy prize for the hostile squadron that awaited her outside the Virginia Capes. Captain Thierichens played a good military game in keeping so many allied warships on a station far remote from the real war zone, but these can now be assigned to more important stations once the Eitel is tied up and partially dismantled. — Boston Transcript.

## A CHEERFUL OUTLOOK.

Mr. Taft shares the general belief that the republicans will return to power as a result of the national election to be held in 1916. Wide observation from the standpoint of one who is not now in politics, and who can view events impartially, has convinced him that republicans in all parts of the country are getting together and that for them the campaign will open under the most satisfactory conditions. No one, no matter what his political faith may be, will question the soundness of this conclusion. The broad issue, that of general prosperity, of good times for all the people, with ample employment for men and women who desire to work and for capital. Democratic policies have been tried and they have failed. The voters improved their first opportunity to rebuke the democratic administration and congress. Belief is growing that only by the election of a republican president and congress can prosperity be assured. — Rochester Post-Express.

## LAW OF LIMITATION.

The collapse of the International Mercantile Marine again calls attention to the limitation set by nature upon the powers of man. Man may think he can do everything, but experience is showing that there is a limit beyond which man is incapable of going with sure success. The marine company has collapsed because it undertook more than man, well backed by money, could achieve. Consolidation has its virtues, but extra-consolidation has its vices. — New Haven Courier-Journal.

## LEAVE IT TO FIGHTING FRED.

If General Funston wants to be sure he has authority to protect Americans along the border one of the first things he will do is to cut the telegraph wires leading from Washington. Washington has shown much more interest in protecting Mexican than American lives, and there are no signs that it has got over the habit. — Philadelphia Press.

## THE JOYS OF NEUTRALITY.

While good-natured, patient and well meaning Uncle Sam is puckering his brows over the sassy letter Emperor William sends him, and wondering what he can do to make William feel better, along comes a hot one from King George, telling our Uncle that he intends to grab all the merchant ships U. S. has purchased from Germany or Austria since the war began and that he don't give a hang whether we like it or not. It's great to be neutral.

## VOTE FOR FULL NUMBER.

Whatever you do, Mr. or Mrs. Voter, vote for five men election day. Vote for a mayor and five commissioners. Do not promise anybody that you will vote for them alone. No candidate should have the nerve to ask you to pass up your chance to vote for your full quota. If he does, he is a selfish man and thinks more of his candidacy than of your interests or the city's interests.

A week from today will be considerable of a day around this burg.



## TOILING ON.

We are evermore forgetting that our stay on earth is brief, and we waste the time in fretting, hunting for all kinds of grief, making moan about the weather, magnifying every ill, as we toil along together to the boneyard on the hill. All our little griefs and worries will forsake us in a day; every dark affliction hurries, anxious to be on its way, but we lasso it and tether every trouble we can nail, as we toil along together to the boneyard in the vale. Life should be a cheerful ramble, but we make it one of woes, and we howl about the bramble till we overlook the rose. We ignore the scented heather, looking for the thistle clump, as we toil along together to the boneyard by the dump. There's so much to make us joyous, there's so much that's good and bright! There's so little to annoy us, if our hearts were only right! Why bawl forth, from lungs of leather, protests fierce, when all is well, as we toil along together to the boneyard in the dell?

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Walt Mason

## City In Brief

—You cannot be disappointed in Parisian Sage, the delightful and refreshing hair dressing sold by Rowland Bros. It takes away dryness, removes all dandruff, makes the hair appear twice as abundant, soft and lustrous.

Ex-county treasurer Frank C. Vaughan was up from Amboy this morning on business.

P. W. Mason of Amboy spent yesterday in this city calling on friends.

Deputy Sheriff Frank Schoenholz spent Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ellsworth, near Rochelle.

Engraved business cards at the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Rogers will move this week to their new home in North Dixon.

John Yetter was here on Monday from Steward calling on friends.

Mrs. R. R. Hess spent the day in Chicago purchasing goods for her millinery store.

Charles Johnson left this morning for Canton, O.

Mrs. Grace Waterman returned to Chicago on the morning train after a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Atkins.

Walter Seybert went to Chicago on the early morning train on business.

W. B. Baum, William Ware and Rodney Ayres were in attendance at the meeting of the consistory at Freeport yesterday.

The Evening Telegraph and Orange Judd Farmer both one year for \$3 by mail.

Joseph Sefolo spent the day in Chicago on business.

William Hintz made a commercial trip to Ashton this morning.

Claude Long and wife returned to Chicago yesterday afternoon after a visit here with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Campbell.

Nurses Record Sheets for sale at the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

Mrs. William DeVies of this city is spending a week in Chicago.

Mrs. Jack Heft of Platte, S. D., is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Nagle of Highland avenue.

Mrs. Bushy's section of Ladies Aid Society of M. E. church—Mrs. Watts

A number of local young people have planned to go to Oregon tomorrow evening to attend a dancing party to be given by a club of young ladies of that city.

Bert Spohr of Oregon was a visitor in Dixon Monday evening.

Mayor W. B. Brinton left this morning for a business trip which will take him to Chicago and Peoria, to be gone the rest of the week.

Carl Kerner, former chief of police of Rock Falls, was a business visitor in Dixon today.

John Linden of Aurora was a business visitor in this city yesterday and today.

Lee Hutton of Sterling transacted business here Monday.

L. Hoffman of Mt. Morris was in the city today on business at the court house.

## PEOPLES COLUMN

## THE FACTS IN THE CASE.

The following item has appeared in our local papers several times lately so I thought it was no more than fair that the voters get the facts in the case.

"Mayor Brinton is authority for the statement that whereas when four years ago the Commission took over the city it found an empty treasury it has now no less than \$41,000 to turn over to the next administration."

Let me give you the substance of the report of the two men who audited the books at the close of my administration in 1911.

"For the fiscal year commencing April 19th, 1911. Resources \$33,936.92. Liabilities \$19,006.21. Balance in favor of the city \$14,930.71. Does that sound very much like an empty treasury?"

Now as to the \$41,000 that is to be turned over to the next administration. This is what it is according to the financial report of the City Treasurer March 1st, 1915.

Summary of cash on hand—  
General fund ..... \$3,435.76  
Local improvement fund ..... 31,289.15  
Cemetery fund ..... 161.80  
Lot sales—old part ..... 173.50  
Lot sales—new part ..... 714.52  
Lot care endowment fund ..... 94.07  
Lot care income fund ..... 241.80  
Public library ..... 648.29  
City hall bond fund ..... 5,169.94

\$41,928.83

Of the \$41,000 on hand \$31,000 is placed to the credit of the Local Improvement Fund. This is money that has been paid in to the city treasurer by those who have had local improvements. Local Improvement Bonds can be called in at any time. Of course, due notice must be given to those who hold them. Instead of calling in these bonds, a thing that should have been done, and paying out this money, the money is in the bank and the City is paying interest on it at the rate of 5% per annum. Isn't that to the credit of some one? Who claims it?

\$5,000 of the amount is being held to pay off the City Hall bonds when they become due in 1916. As to the rest of the \$41,000 you can readily see from the items, there is a place for it. In short, the money on hand is not city money at all. It is money held in trust by the city until such time as it can be paid out for the purposes for which it was collected and if the present administration had done its duty, we wouldn't be paying interest on \$31,000 of this amount at the present time.

The city's share of Local Improvements at the close of my administration was \$8,424.63. Today, it is \$90,301.01. A difference of over \$81,000 in four years.

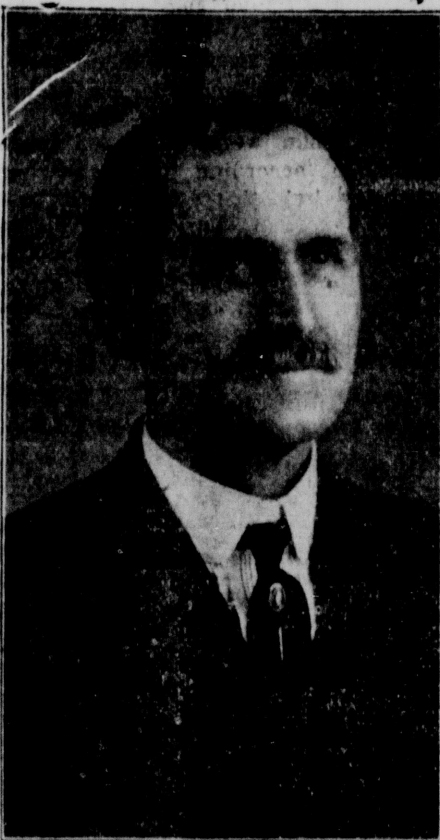
I got my information from the records at the City Hall.

Hoping this statement will put some of the voters wise to the facts in the case, I am,  
Very respt.,  
I. F. EDWARDS.

R. R. F. Oakford and John H. Oakford of Walnut were both business visitors in this city today on business.

J. C. Witzel of Ashton transacted business in Dixon yesterday.

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—Adv.

## SCHULER CANDIDATE FOR COMMISSIONER

IN SPITE OF STORIES RUMORING HIS WITHDRAWAL, WILL BE ACTIVE CANDIDATE.

## HAD A DIFFICULT POSITION

Gives Out Interview Declaring Himself Surely In the Race—Has Made Good Official.

W. A. Schuler gave out an interview this morning in which he stated that he was very much encouraged in his campaign for re-election as commissioner, although for some time he was undecided as to whether he cared to make the race. Since the primaries he has been so strongly urged by his friends that he has consented to enter the campaign with his old-time vigor and he is now an active candidate. Despite newspaper stories and rumors to the contrary, given circulation some weeks ago, Mr. Schuler is in the race to stay.

During the past administration Mr. Schuler has held one of the most difficult positions on the council, that of commissioner of streets and public improvements. Because of the great number of improvements planned and executed during his term there has been an unusual amount of work in his department and there have been many embarrassing and difficult situations to adjust.

No man could fill the office of commissioner of streets without making enemies, unless he failed to do his duty to the general public and allowed his better judgment to give way to the feelings of personal favoritism. Mr. Schuler is not that sort of a man and he does what he believes to be right, regardless of whether his action hurts friend or foe. It has always been his aim to consider fairly the rights of all and when a choice had to be made, to do the thing which would benefit the most people.

The commissioner has been much concerned over the criticism of some who have claimed that he has used the position which he held for his own personal gain in placing improvements. All improvements are passed upon by the entire council and each property owner is assessed his fair share. In all improvements which have benefited his property Mr. Schuler has paid his share and he invites

critics to investigate this statement through the books at the city hall.

Some work has been done near Mr. Schuler's hotel property on First street, but the adjoining property owners, Mr. Schuler included, paid the bi share of the improvement. The improvement was one that was needed and has made a great improvement in the appearance of the street. The same sort of a job is needed south of the street at this point.

One of the things which has influenced Mr. Schuler to become a candidate again has been the fact that he would like to complete the street improvements planned under the present administration. Through his four years' work he is well informed as to the condition of all the street and while the main improvements are practically complete, there are many smaller but equally important ones to be completed.

In making so many large improvements the greater portion of funds appropriated to the street department has been expended in the work such as placing of culverts, the connecting of drains and the building of approaches. The funds will now be available for work on other streets in the outskirts of the city where it is not wise to build permanent streets, and should he be returned to the council, it is Mr. Schuler's desire to continue in his present capacity and to exert most of the efforts of the department in these matters which will do much toward making the general condition of the city more satisfactory to a greater number of the citizens.

County Superintendent L. W. Miller left this morning to visit the schools in Viola township and tomorrow will visit the schools in Brooklyn township.

Dr. W. J. Worsley is here from Mendota on a few days visit looking after property interests in this city.

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O. J. DOWNING, Vice-Pres.

JOHN L. DAVIES, Cashier  
C. E. CHANDLER, Asst. Cashier

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And wish further to make the statement that while they have taken down their big sign, that the

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Respectfully Yours,

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## PEORIA WOMAN PRAISES REMEDY

Mrs. Tilla Conard Tells Remarkable Experience After Suffering for Months.

Mrs. Tilla Conard lives at 307 Morgan Street, Peoria. She suffered from stomach trouble for months. Nothing seemed to give relief. One day she visited a sister who resides in Bloomington, and upon urgent advice consented to try one bottle of May's Wonderful Remedy. This, in her own words, is the story of her experience—read it.

"For a number of months I suffered terribly with pains in my stomach; would fill with gas and belch for an hour at a time. I had pains in my side which at times I thought would kill me. I was under the doctor's care for four months, but got no relief at all. One day while in Bloomington my sister persuaded me to take a bottle of your remedy. To say the results were wonderful would be putting it mildly. After the first dose my pain left me, my appetite improved, my skin became clear again and I felt like a new woman."

May's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee—if not satisfactory money will be returned.

## EDITOR OF KANSAS CITY STAR DEAD

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cently estimated at anywhere from \$7,000,000 to \$15,000,000.

He was born at Fort Wayne, Ind., March 7, 1841. His father had been identified with the upbuilding of the state, and his maternal grandfather, Wm. Rockhill settled in Indiana when that region was almost a wilderness in 1819 and was the first farmer in America to plant 1,000 acres of corn. Colonel Nelson was educated at the Notre Dame university. He was a hard worker all through life, and in the early days of the Star he spent 18 hours a day "on the job" as he said. He did not have a private office, but insisted on having his desk in a room where editors and reporters surrounded him. He had great faith in young men, and gave them many situations of trust and responsibility. Colonel Nelson was, however, always the active "boss." Believing that the paper manufacturers were trying to get the better of him, he built in Kansas City a mill of his own for the manufacture of paper at a time when only one other newspaper in the world had attempted such an enterprise.

In 1896, after being abroad with an expert for two years collecting works of art, Colonel Nelson presented to Kansas City a collection of copies of the world's greatest art treasures done by masters. Colonel Nelson himself was an art expert and for years he conducted an educational campaign to acquaint his readers with the masterpieces.

Corn Belt Athletes Meet May 1. Bloomington, Ill., April 13.—At the meeting of representatives of various schools here it was voted to hold the annual corn belt athletic meet in Bloomington on May 1. Thirty high schools will compete.

## MAYOR ROBERTS GETS SIX YEARS IN PRISON

Terre Haute Man Sentenced in Election Fraud Cases.

Indianapolis, April 13.—Mayor Dunn M. Roberts, one of the twenty-seven men convicted by a jury in federal court for participation in the conspiracy to defraud the government in the election in Terre Haute on Nov. 3, 1914, was sentenced by Judge Anderson to six years in Leavenworth prison, and to pay a fine of \$2,000. In all, 116 men, 89 of whom had pleaded guilty, were to be sentenced.

Eli H. Redman, elected judge of the circuit court of Vigo county by ten votes, and Sheriff Dennis Shea were sentenced to five years in the penitentiary and fined \$1,000 each. Harry S. Montgomery, president of the board of public works; Thomas C. Smith, city judge; George L. Larnard, member of board of public works, and Edward R. Driscoll, secretary of the Vigo county democratic central committee, were sentenced to three years each in the penitentiary and fined \$500.

German Plan New Zeppelin Raid. Berlin, (via London), April 13.—Intimation that Germany plans another Zeppelin raid on Paris in the near future was gleaned from an official statement from the war office, hinting that Notre Dame and other Paris cathedrals and public buildings might not be immune from attack.

Dr. J. D. Davis of Sterling was a visitor in Dixon Monday evening.

## JOHN FARSON'S SONS INDICTED

Chicago Bankers Are Accused of Huge Frauds.

SIX OTHERS ACCUSED IN BILL

Colorado Irrigation Project is Basis of Charges—Of Eight Men Involved in Charges Five Are From Chicago—It is Said Defendants Misstated Conditions.

Chicago, April 13.—Indictments, it has been learned, were returned by the federal grand jury in Chicago last week against John and William Farson, sons of the late John Farson, banker and broker, whose palatial home was a landmark in Oak Park and whose bright smile and brighter clothes were familiar to frequenters of Chicago and suburban horse shows and other society events.

With them were indicted six other men alleged to have been associated with them in the issuance of \$5,000,000 worth of bonds in Denver and Wyoming irrigation projects which turned out badly. These bonds, it is charged, were marketed all over the country, largely among small banks, and since the mails were used to distribute circulars and letters concerning them, this was made the basis of the action, according to reports.

The Men Indicted. Besides the two Farsons, those who were indicted were:

Harry B. Parrott, Chicago; Roy A. H. Thompson of Farson Son & Co.; George H. Osborn, Cheyenne, Wyo.; Charles F. Tew, lawyer, of Greeley, Colo.; William S. Hill, of Denver; Samuel H. Shields, of Denver.

William Farson is head of the Chicago branch of the bond house of Farson, Son & Co., founded by his father after the dissolution of the house of Farson, Leach & Co., and still conducted under the same name. John Farson is head of the New York branch of the same firm.

All of the men it is understood, are charged with a conspiracy or using the mails to defraud or both.

The Chicago men in addition to being charged with conspiracy to defraud the government were also accused of having used the mails to defraud prospective investors in the sale of irrigation bonds which were described in prospectuses sent in letters.

False Promises Alleged. The bonds were sold upon representation, according to the charges, that the irrigation scheme had been completed, and that the money invested would speedily yield large returns. The government charges that these representations were false and that it would be practically impossible to carry out the promises made, as to do so would necessitate a change in the direction of a river in Colorado.

It is further charged that the prospectuses of the country made false statements of the work already done on the irrigation project.

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## OBITUARY

PETER FRANCIS O'MALLEY.

Peter Francis O'Malley, who passed away on Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the home of his mother south of Dixon, was born on February 23, 1886 in Marion township. He attended the Dixon high school and later the Dixon College, after which he went to Chicago where he entered the Lewis Institute. He then took the law course at the Kent law school and graduated with the class of 1910. He was admitted to the bar the same year and practiced in Chicago the past five years. Death was due to a complication of diseases.

Mr. O'Malley had a large circle of friends among the younger people. Besides his mother, Mrs. Mary O'Malley, he is survived by one sister Mrs. Thomas Coyle of Chicago, and four brothers, Austin J. and Thomas O'Malley at home; William H. of Chicago, and Dr. J. M. O'Malley of Ohio. His father preceded him in death ten years ago and a brother, Patrick E., died in 1897.

The funeral will be held on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, from St. Patrick's church in this city. Rev. Father Connelley of Walton, assisting in the services, will officiate.



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These suits will go fast at this price—We have 45 to show you NOW in sizes as given above. Don't expect us to show them to you next week. When we had full lines of these suits they sold here at \$18, \$20, and a few as high as \$25.00.

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THE REAL ISSUE

Our object in conducting a publicity campaign is, of course, publicity. That we are getting it is shown by the commendations as well as criticisms we are receiving. It shows that this space is being watched. The praise we can dispense with, but the criticism we welcome. We are green at this job and need help. We want to know the very best way to overcome this greatest foe to our community welfare.

When our honorable antagonists criticize we know that must be reaching them where they live. When our friends find fault we prize their good intentions. Naturally every reader of a paper knows that he can do better than the editor every time. We can now sympathize with the newspaper man.

All those who find fault with us are welcome to show the right way to make Dixon dry by printing as we do, at so much per inch of space.

We are the very first to admit our mistakes. You needn't prove them on us. We feel especially chagrined that after perpetrating last Saturday a little of awfully cheap pleasantry about taking pictures that folks took us seriously and are complaining to us that we did not keep our promise. But we did better, we showed what a Dry Dixon could be on Saturday night. Merchants all report a very pleasant time for a change.

We have been offered hundreds of different sorts of advice as seemed wisest to each. We find, however, that the suggestions group themselves into two general classes.

The one suggestion is that the only way successfully to fight the liquor traffic is to wait for the psychological time and then say nothing in the remotest way touching upon the drink evil in Dixon. This group of advisers urge us to use this space to advertise Dixon, by calling it the most beautiful, cleanly, moral, industrious, prosperous and hospitable city on Earth; to hand all of our citizens, our officials, our institutions and attractions, bouquets; cover up all the sore spots, ignore the lawlessness, the drunkenness, the poverty; say nothing to hurt the feelings or pride of anyone, and especially DO NOT SAY A WORD ABOUT OUR SALOONS.

## HONESTY, OR DISHONESTY - WHICH

The other suggestion is that in the exercise of the highest degree of public spirit and of love for our city and its future welfare we do confess in sackcloth and ashes for once our municipal sin (not our private ones); that while there are times when we may overlook our seamy side it is the only honest and safe policy in such crises of our public life to stop and take stock, to expose for our own betterment the wrongs which we by public majority vote have sanctioned. The first suggestion seems to us the dishonest one; the second the only manly and honest one. There seems to be no possibility of choosing the first and maintain our self respect.

We drys can justly lay claim to having a greater love of and appreciation for our beautiful city, greater desire to make it more prosperous and desirable, than the other class of citizens. In every subscription factories heretofore the drys have contributed, it is said by those who know, fully two-thirds; it is their homes which are most beautiful, their grounds most attractive; it is their money that keeps alive the city's trade; it is their churches, influence and character that make any city worth living in.

What friend or admirer of the saloon would want to live in Dixon and rear his family here if there were no drys and no dry institutions? The saloon is the one institution which boasts it will obey no laws. What if the drys in Dixon asserted the same defiance to authority?

Any merchant who sets himself against the saloon wins for himself the best patronage of the city; but he who defies the drys in this respect, proves himself traitor to his best patrons and friends.

What if the drys should agree to boycott wet merchants, as the wets boycott and persecute the drys who take prominent parts in a fight like this? How long would any merchant last who had to depend wholly on his saloon-robbed clientele?

Now we prefer to think that the Devil will never be whipped by being pelted with flowers. No words of loving tribute ever banished a saloon.

Our severest critics, some of them prominent, find fault not with the fact that evils do undeniably exist here, but in our giving them publicity in the very best of causes—the sobriety and safety of our youth. It is said somewhat heatedly that it is a bad advertisement for Dixon to have its sins known elsewhere.

So that I sthe game, I sit? We should fool some unsuspecting good people into coming here, expecting to find a sober, decent city, should we?

Now, if the saloon is such a blessing, our prosperity so wrought up with it, why not advertise it as widely as possible? Why all this abuse of the League for making known, at high price for printing our advantages for liquor consumption? In all the thousands of dollars which the Citizens' Association has spent for advertising the advantages of our city of which work the writer hereof

has done more perhaps than other citizen) not one word has ever been said about our having twelve saloons. The wettest voter would know better than that. So why should we be dishonest, friends, and try to hide from prospective residents an evil which we are ashamed to advertise?

But Dixon has advertised herself all over the nation, wherever a Dry Map of Illinois is printed, which is in nearly every paper of repute. These maps show that "Beautiful Dixon" is the only saloon-cursed spot between Chicago and the banks of the Mississippi; between the Amboy and Wisconsin line.

While the papers are filled with stories of great cities going dry all about us we are under the stigma of being the last outpost of booze in northern Illinois. Is this a good advertisement?

Is it a good advertisement for Dixon that along the great Lincoln Highway the edging of bottles and flasks is greater near Dixon than elsewhere between Chicago and the Rocky Mountains?

Is it a good advertisement for Dixon that we prefer to be in the wet column with Peru, La Salle, Spring Valley, Mendota and Harmon to being in the glorious catalogue of truly great and prosperous cities, whose well-being makes our own boasted new-born prosperity seem weak and petty—such cities as dry Rockford, Freeport, Elgin, Champaign, Galesburg, Bloomington, Centralia and even Sterling.

Is it a good advertisement for us to be known as the dumping place of all the hoboes, cast-offs and riff-raff which a wet town invariably attracts? Is this Saturday night invasion of noisy drunks from Sterling a good advertisement?

Is it a good advertisement for the Dixon merchants who once voted Dixon dry that they lost all their backbone and courage and gave up the fight after only one battle? Why Sterling only won on its fourth fight. That is one reason why today there is hardly a vacant house in Sterling and her bank deposits increased since she went dry in the amazing sum of \$147,999.48, while Dixon—but we are going to show just what Dixon did when dry and when wet and you can make your choice as to which is the more prosperous period. Watch this space for real figures soon.

Don't think that our campaign is hurting Dixon. It cannot be hurt in the estimation of the outside world worse than it is now. But if we will honestly confess our mistake in harboring the saloon and vote it out, then Dixon may again hold its head aloft, more radiant, more beautiful and honored, more prosperous and busy than ever before.

This is the hope of the drys. Not one is in this campaign for graft or pay or profit for self, but all work alike in sincerity for the better welfare, the higher honor of all.

This is why we choose the course we have.

And continue to watch this space. DIXON LAW AND ORDER LEAGUE—Advertisement.

Shall This City Become  
Anti-Saloon Territory

Yes ☒  
No ☐

## GENERAL HUERTA IS HERE FOR PLEASURE

Former Mexican Dictator Promises Interview Friday.

New York, April 13.—"I have come here entirely for pleasure and to admire the wonders of your great country. So far as I have any business at all it is of a purely private and personal nature."

In such or similar words replied Gen. Victoriano Huerta, ex-dictator of the Mexican republic to all inquiries as to his purpose in visiting this country. "I am an old man and my time has come to take my recreation." In a written statement Gen. Huerta said:

"It is a pleasure to me to be again in the United States as it gives me the opportunity to admire once more the greatness of the American people whom I salute through their press. It is nothing strange that on stepping on United States territory I should consider it my first duty to salute this great nation as many of its citizens have been and are my personal friends. I understand that my presence in this country creates in you the desire to know my views about the affairs of Mexico and I promise to satisfy your wishes at the best of my ability. For this purpose I invite the representatives of the American press to the Ansonia hotel on Friday the 16th at 10 a. m. I beg of you gentlemen to remember that no interview with me should be considered as authentic unless it carries my personal signature."

(Signed) V. HUERTA.

During his interview with the immigration authorities the destination of the party was given as the Vanderbilt hotel, but this was later changed to the Ansonia. Gen. Huerta arrived on the Antonio Lopez of the Spanish line after an 18 days' voyage.

## BANK CONTROL NEED SHOWN

Figures Prove Illinois Private Institutions Lack Regulation.

Washington, April 13.—The need of state regulation of private banks in Illinois is set forth by statistics in the comptroller of the currency's report.

Nearly half the total number of private bank failures in the United States in the last fiscal year were in Illinois, which heads the list of states in this financial casualty list. Compared with twelve failures in Illinois, there were five in New York, three in Michigan and one each in seven other states. In 38 states not a single private failure was recorded. In a majority of these states there is public regulation of these institutions.

## IS GIVEN LARGE WAR ORDER

Studebakers Must Make 15,000 Sets Harness in Nine Weeks.

South Bend, Ind., April 13.—Another large war order has been received by the Studebaker Corporation. The order calls for 15,000 sets of harness which are to be used by the British artillery service. The contract provides the harness must be ready for delivery in nine weeks. Work on the order probably will begin this week. It is probable that some of the work will be sublet to other companies.

The order is the second received by the corporation since the opening of the war. The December order was for more than \$100,000 worth of saddles, harness and wagons.

Cal's Kick Causes Strange Accident. Columbus, Ind., April 13.—A hand in which William Griffith, a farmer near here, held a butcher knife was kicked by a calf and the knife struck the other hand, cutting off the thumb and first finger.

S. C. Gould and C. P. Root of Ash-ton were visitors in this city last evening.





# PEG O' MY HEART

By J. Hartley Manners

A Comedy of Youth Founded by Mr. Manners on His Great Play of the Same Title—Illustrations From Photographs of the Play

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## SYNOPSIS.

Frank O'Connell, young Irish patriot, is shot and wounded by British soldiers while making a home rule speech. He is aided by Angela Kingsnorth, an English society girl, who defends him.

Angela takes O'Connell to her brother's home and helps to nurse him. He recovers, and he and the girl become fast friends.

O'Connell when well is sent to jail for disturbing the peace. He finally writes Angela that he has finished his sentence.

O'Connell and Angela wed. She has espoused the Irish cause. Her brother, a member of parliament, is very angry.

The happy couple come to America to live. A daughter is born to them. Angela's brother refuses to help the couple in any way. Angela dies.

## CHAPTER VI.

### A House of Cards.

KINGSNORTH sank into a chair. The letter slipped from his fingers. All his dreams had vanished in a moment. His house of cards had toppled down. His ambitions were surely and positively destroyed at one stroke. He mechanically picked up the letter and reread it. Had it been his death sentence it could not have affected him more cruelly:

Dear Nathaniel—I scarcely know how to write to you about what has happened. I am afraid I am in some small measure to blame. Ten days ago your sister showed me a letter from a man named O'Connell—

Kingsnorth crushed the letter in his hand as he read the bated name—the name of the man who had caused him so much discomfort during that unfortunate visit to his estate in Ireland. How he blamed himself now for having ever gone there! There was indeed a curse on it for the Kingsnorths.

He straightened out the crumpled piece of paper and read on—

—a man named O'Connell—the man she nursed in your house in Ireland after he had been shot by the soldiers. He was coming to England and wished to see her. She asked my permission. I reasoned with her, but she was decided. If I should not permit her to see him in my house she would meet him elsewhere. It seemed better the meeting should be under my roof, so I consented. I bitterly reproach myself now for not acquainting you with the particulars. You might have succeeded in stopping what has happened.

Your sister and O'Connell were married this morning by special license and left this afternoon for Liverpool en route to America.

I cannot begin to tell you how much I deplore the unfortunate affair. It will always be a lasting sorrow to me. I should not write any more now. My head is aching with the thought of what it will mean to you. Try not to think too hardily of me and believe me, always your affectionate cousin.

MARY CAROLINE WREXFORD.

Kingsnorth's head sank on to his breast. Every bit of life left him, everything about his feet aches, the laughingstock of his friends.

Were Angela there at that moment he could have killed her.

The humiliation of the degradation of it! Married to that lawless Irish agitator! The man now a member of his family! A cry of misery broke from him as he realized that the best years of his life were to come and go fruitlessly. His career was ended. Despair lay heavy on his soul.

Standing on the main deck of an Atlantic liner stood Angela and O'Connell.

They were facing the future together.

Their faces were turned to the west. The sun was sinking in a blaze of color.

Their eyes lighted up with the joy of hope.

Love was in their hearts.

A year after the events in the preceding chapter took place O'Connell and his young wife were living in a small apartment in one of the poorer sections of New York city.

The first few months in America had been glorious ones for them. Their characters and natures unfettered to each other as some wonderful paintings, each taking its own hues from the adoration of the other.

In company with a noted Irish organizer O'Connell had spoken in many of the big cities of the United States and was everywhere hailed as a hero and a martyr to English tyranny.

But he had one ever present handicap—a drawback he had never felt during the years of struggle preceding his marriage. His means were indeed small. He tried to eke out a little income writing articles for the newspapers and magazines. But the recompense was pitiful. He could not bear without a pang to see Angela in the dingy surroundings that he could barely afford to provide for her.

On her part Angela took nothing with her but a few jewels her mother had left her, some clothes and very little money. The money soon disappeared, and then one by one the keepsakes of her mother were parted with. But they never lost heart. Through it all they were happy. All the poetry of O'Connell's nature came uppermost, leavened, as it was, by the deep faith and veneration of his wife.

This strangely assorted fervent man and gentle woman seemed to have solved the great mystery of happiness between two people.

But the poverty chafed O'Connell—not for himself, but for the frail, loving, uncomplaining woman who had given her life into his care.

His active brain was continually trying to devise new ways of adding to his meager income. He multiplied his



All His Dreams Had Vanished in a Moment.

duties. He worked far into the night when he could find a demand for his articles. But little by little his sources of revenue failed him.

Some fresh and horrible agrarian crimes in Ireland, for which the home rule party was blamed, for awhile turned the tide of sympathy against his party. The order was sent out to discontinue meetings for the purpose of collecting funds in America—the Irish Americans had been so cheerfully and plentifully bestowing on the "cause."

O'Connell was recalled to Ireland. His work was highly commended.

Some day they would send him to the United States again as a special pleader. At present he would be of greater value at home.

He was instructed to apply to the treasurer of the fund and arrangements would be made for his passage back to Ireland.

He brought the news to Angela with a strange feeling of fear and disappointment. He had built so much on making a wonderful career in the great new world and returning home some day to Ireland with the means of relieving some of her misery and with his wife guarded, as she should be, from the possibility of want. And here was he going back to Ireland as poor as he left it, though richer immeasurably in the love of Angela.

She was sitting perfectly still, her eyes on the floor, when he entered the room. He came in so softly that she did not hear him. He lifted her head and looked into her eyes. He noticed with certainty what had been so far only a vague, ill defined dread. Her face was very, very pale and transparent. Her eyes were sunken and had a strange brilliancy. She was much slighter and far more ethereal than on that day when they stood on the deck of the ship and turned their faces so hopefully to the new world.

He felt a knife-like stab startle through his blood to his heart. His breath caught.

Angela looked up at him radiantly. He kissed her and with mock cheerfulness he said laughingly:

"Such news, me darlin'! Such wonderful news!"

"Good news, dear?"

"The best in the world," and he choked a sob.

"I knew it would come! I knew it would. Tell me, dear."

"We're to go back—back to Ireland. See, here are the orders," and he showed her the official letter.

She took it wonderingly and read it. Her hand dropped to her side. Her head drooped into the same position he had found her in. In a moment he was kneeling at her side.

"What is it, dear?"

"We can't go, Frank."

"We can't go," she repeated, her body crumpled up limply in the chair.

"And why not, Angela? I know I can't take ye back as I brought ye here, dear, if that's what ye mane. The luck's been against me. It's been cruel hard against me. An' that thought is tearin' at me heart this minute."

"It isn't that, Frank," she said faintly.

"Then what is it?"

"Oh," she cried, "I hoped it would be so different—so very different."

"What did ye think would be so different, dear? Our going back? Is that what's troublein' ye?"

"No, Frank, not that. I don't care how we go back so long as we are with me."

He pressed her hand. In a moment she went on: "But we can't go, we can't go. Oh, my dear, my dear, can't you guess? Can't you think?"

She looked imploringly into his eyes.

A new wonder came into his. Could it be true? Could it? He took both her hands and held them tightly and stood up, towering over her and trem-

bling violently.

"Is it—is it?" he cried and stopped as if afraid to complete the question.

She smiled a wan smile up at him and nodded her head as she answered: "The union of our lives is to be complete. Our love is to be rewarded."

"A child is coming to us?" he whispered.

"It is," and her voice was hushed too.

"Praise be to God! Praise be to his holy name!" And O'Connell clasped his hands in prayer.

In a little while she went on: "It was the telling you I wanted to be so different. I wanted you when you heard it to be free of care—happy. And I've waited from day to day, hoping for the best—that some good fortune would come to you."

He forced one of his old time, hearty laughs, but there was a hollow ring in it.

"What is that yer sayin' at all? Wait for good fortune? Is there any good fortune like what ye've just told me? Sure I'm ten times the happiest man since I came into this room." He put his arm around her and, sitting beside her, drew her closely to him.

"Listen, dear," he said, "listen. We'll go back to the old country. Our child shall be born where we first met. There'll be no danger. No one shall harm us with that little life trembling in the balance—the little precious life. If it's a girl child she'll be the mother of her people, and if it be a man child he shall grow up to carry on his father's work. So there—there, me darlin', we'll go back—we'll go back."

She shook her head feebly. "I can't," she said.

"Why not, dear?"

"I didn't want to tell you, but now you make me. Frank, dear, I am ill."

His heart almost stopped. "Oh! Oh, my darlin', what is it? Is it serious? Tell me it isn't serious!" And his voice rang with a note of agony.

"Oh, no, I don't think so. I saw the doctor today. He said I must be careful, very careful, until—until our baby is born."

"An' ye kept it all to yerself, me brave one, me dear one. All right. We won't go back. We'll stay here. I'll make them find me work. I'm strong. I'm clever, too, and crafty. Angela, I'll bring it from this bustling city. I'll fight it and beat it. Me darlin' shall have everything she wants. My little mother—my precious little mother!"

## CHAPTER VII.

A Communication From Nathaniel Kingsnorth.

THE months that followed were the hardest in O'Connell's life. Strive as he would, he could find no really remunerative employment. He had no special training. He knew no trade. His pen, though fluent, was not cultured and lacked the glow of eloquence he had when speaking. He worked in shops and in factories. He tried to report on newspapers. But his lack of experience everywhere handicapped him. What he contrived to earn during those months of struggle was all too little as the time approached for the great event.

Angela was now entirely confined to her bed. She seemed to grow more spirit-like every day. A terrible dread haunted O'Connell waking and sleeping. He would start out of some terrible dream at night and listen to her breathing. When he would hurry back at the close of some long, disappointing day his heart would be hammering dully with fear for his loved one.

As the months wore on his face became lined with care and the bright gold of his hair dimmed with streaks of silver. But he never faltered or lost courage. He always felt he must win the fight for existence as he meant to win the greater conflict later—for liberty.

Angela, lying so still, through the long days, could only hope. She felt so helpless. It was woman's weakness that brought men like O'Connell to the edge of despair. And hers was not merely bodily weakness, but the more poignant one of pride. Was it fair to her husband. Was it just? In England she had prosperous relatives. They would not let her die in her misery. They could not let her baby come into the world with poverty as its only inheritance. Till now she had been unable to master her feeling of hatred and bitterness for her brother Nathaniel, her intense dislike and contempt for her sister Monica. From the time she left England she had not written to either of them. Could she now? Something decided her.

One night O'Connell came back disheartened. Try as he would, he could not conceal it. He was getting to the end of his courage. There was insufficient work at the shop he had been working in for several weeks. He had been told he need not come again.

Angela, lying motionless and white, tried to comfort him and give him heart.

She made up her mind that night. The next day she wrote to her brother. She could not bring herself to express one regret for what she had done or said. On the contrary, she made many references to her happiness with the man she loved. She did write of the hardships they were passing through. But they were only temporary. O'Connell was so clever, so brilliant, he must win in the end. Only just now she was ill. She needed help. She asked no gift—a loan merely. They would pay it back when the days of plenty came. She would not ask even this were it not that she was not only ill, but the one great, wonderful thing in the world was to be vouchsafed her—motherhood. In the name of her unborn baby she begged him to send an immediate response.

She asked a neighbor to post the letter so that O'Connell would not know of her sacrifice. She waited anxiously for a reply.

## To Be Continued.

Ladies' engraved calling cards at the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

## WHAT'S INDIGESTION? WHO CARES? LISTEN

"PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN" MAKES A SOUR, GASSY STOMACH FEEL FINE AT ONCE.

Time it! In five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness, belching of gas, acid, or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in regulating upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest and most certain indigestion remedy in the whole world, and besides it is harmless.

Millions of men and women now eat their favorite foods without fear—they know Pape's Diapepsin will save them from any stomach misery.

Please, for your sake, get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store and put your stomach right. Don't keep on being miserable—life is too short—you are not here long, so make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and digest it; enjoy it, without dread of rebellion in the stomach.

Pape's Diapepsin belongs in your home anyway. Should one of the family eat something which don't agree with them, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement at daytime or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.

## OAK RIDGE NEWS.

Oak Ridge, Apr. 12.—Dewitt Warner and family and Mrs. Lester Reese and daughter spent Sunday visiting in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Boroce and son spent Sunday visiting relatives in Polo.

Many from the Ridge attended the splendid entertainment given in the Christian church at Grand Detour on Sunday evening.

## WEST BROOKLYN

John M. Bittner was a visitor here Thursday.

H. A. Bernardin and family visited with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Dingler, at Sterling Sunday.

Andrew Huibsch was in town on last Tuesday afternoon transacting business.

Let us insure your corn in the crib for 30, 60 or 90 days. The cost is but \$1 per \$1,000 insurance per month. Do not take a chance with the summer storms. Henry F. Gehant Bank- ing Co.

A number of our people were in Sublette Thursday evening to attend the home talent play in the Sublette theatre.

Floyd Miller of Lee Center township was in West Brooklyn Friday morning.

Charles Tierney of Joliet was up this week looking after land in the Flatts.

Charles Mackin was in town Thursday.

The local court C. O. F. held their regular monthly meeting in the club rooms Thursday night.

F. J. Biggart went to Aurora Friday to seek repairs for the well now being used by the village at the Farmers elevator.

Miss Jennie Dysart was visiting her friends in West Brooklyn last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Long and family spent the evening Thursday with friends at Amboy.

Charles Eich was over from Sublette with two teams getting tile at the local factory Thursday.

Andrew Gehant and Wm. Untz were in town Thursday evening.

S. T. Beale of Pawpaw motored to West Brooklyn on Thursday morning.

H. H. Danekas made a professional trip to Mendota Thursday.

I have a good incubator for sale. Mrs. August Gehant.

David O. Fairchild started this week for Walnut, Kas., to visit his

## PUT CREAM IN NOSE AND STOP CATARRH

Tells How To Open Clogged Nostrils and End Head-Colds.

You feel fine in a few moments. Your cold in head or catarrh will be gone. Your clogged nostrils will open. The air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more dizziness, headache, no hawking, snuffling, mucous discharges or dryness; no struggling for breath at night.

Tell your druggist you want a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It will penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, and relief comes instantly.

It is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer needs. Don't stay stuffed up and miserable.

tenant on the farm in that town. David expects to be away for several days and will very likely stop and visit with relatives in that vicinity before his return to West Brooklyn.

Julius and Isadore Henry were in town from Viola on last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gehant were business visitors in Dixon the first of the week.

Subscribe for the West Brooklyn News. \$1.50 per year in advance.

## Obituary.

Miss Emma Lou St. Clair, daughter of Hartman and Catherine St. Clair, was born January 23, 1848, at Washingtonville, Montour county, Pa.

She united with the Methodist church when 14 years of age and remained a member and a persistent church worker throughout her life. She was united in marriage to William A. Mireley of Lee County, Illinois, on Feb. 20, 1868, and to this union three children were born. She departed this life April 2, 1915, aged 67 years, 2 months and 10 days. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, W. A. Mireley of West Brooklyn; one daughter, Mrs. Cora V. Biggart of West Brooklyn, and two sons, Curtis E. Mireley of Rockford and Guy G. Mireley of Sterling.

She also leaves two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Everett of Charlton, Iowa, and Mrs. Mary Shadman of Elmhurst, Pa., and one brother, J. H. St. Clair of West Point, Neb., besides a large circle of other relatives and friends.

## The Recital.

A large crowd was present Wednesday night to enjoy the program given by the pupils of Miss Clara McCune in the opera house. All present enjoyed the work of the class greatly and every one took a great interest in the progress being made by the pupils. The program consisted of both instrumental and vocal selections by the class and was interspersed by readings by Mrs. Marie Barr and two or three numbers by the teacher herself. The readings and Miss McCune's work alone were well worth the price of admission, to say nothing of the rest of the program. The following will give our readers an idea of who took part and the nature of their work:

## Program.

Given by pupils of Miss Clara McCune at West Brooklyn Opera House.

Grand March De Concert.....

..... Wollenhaupt

Zeta Meyer

Sorority..... Charles Roat

Walter Oester

Evening Chimes..... Marzian

Geneva White

Lay My Head Beneath a Rose.....

..... Falkenstein

Anna Becker

Nightingale..... Franz Schiller

Florence Bieschke

Reading..... A Mustard Plaster

Mrs. Marie Barr

Frat..... John Barth

Madolyn Derr

Whisperings of the Pines.....

..... Harry Kinder

Frank Bieschke

Springtime..... Wooler

Miss McCune

Melody of Love..... Englemann

Francis Meyer

Reading..... A Telephone Romance

Mrs. Marie Barr

Starlight Waltz..... Bralard

Reta Oester

Universal Pence March.....

..... J. Bodewalt Lampe

Marie Graff

Fairy Barge..... Smallwood

Barbara Barr

Thine Eyes..... Koelling

Caroline Bierchiede

Schoolmates..... Lincoln

Henry Barr

Reading..... At the Photographer's

Mrs. Marie Barr

The King of the Storm..... Spaulding

C. P. Hinkel

Love Derams..... Arthur L. Brown

Helen Dingus

Absent (Violin Obligato)..... Metcalf

Duet, "Signal from Mars"..... Taylor

Frank Bieschke and Walter Oester

Accompanists—Mrs. Kinklaar, violin;

Zeta Meyer, Miss McCune, Helen

Dingus.

Mrs. Kathryn Dingler of Sterling was the guest of her parents and other relatives in West Brooklyn this week.

Jos. B. Bauer was in town Friday on business.

B. J. Long has installed a new back bar in his restaurant which adds greatly to the interior furnishings of his establishment. The new bar is made from a design submitted to the manufacturers by Mr. Long himself and for this reason we suggest to our readers that the next time they happen in the restaurant they take notice of the handsome new piece of furni-

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REAL ESTATE - LOANS - INSURANCE  
PHONE-293

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WANTED. Highest market price paid for all kinds of junk, old iron, rags, rubber, metal, also hides and wool. Trading direct with us means more money for your goods. Call 413 for your orders. S. Rubenstein, 114-118 River St., Dixon.

WANTED. Woodwork of all kinds, furniture repairing, remodeling and building new furniture, interior woodwork, stair building, pattern making, lawn mower and tool sharpening and saw filing, screen doors and windows built to any size, at 213 East First street. O. Selgestad & Son, 2 doors east of Hotel Bishop. Phone 727.

WANTED—Learn barber trade and quit worrying about hard times. Barbers are never out of employment. Write for catalogue. Tri-City Barber College, Davenport, Ia.

WANTED. Everyone in Dixon to bring their shoes to me for repairing. Once a customer, always a customer. Workmanship and material the best. Full line foot easers, polish, shoe strings and soles. H. Beckingham, 108 Hennepin Ave.

WANTED—Work by the day, sweeping and cleaning. Call Mrs. Mary Schmidt, 524 East Third street. 271f

WANTED—Have your wall paper cleaned and made as good as new. I can do it and guarantee it; give me a trial, also let me do your painting. Floyd Ankeny, telephone 15, Leake's drug store.

WANTED. House, apartment or cottage, five or six rooms, any time between March 1 and May 1. Give full particulars in your reply. Address W. Care Telegraph.

WANTED. 1000 horses. If you should lose a horse, cow, pig or goat, call McCoy and he will remove the blot; you don't have to dig in gravel or clay; no undertaker to pay; he will disinfect and take it away. Peter McCoy, Dixon Rendering Works, Phone 277.

WANTED. Brick work, block work, plastering and laying cement walks. Absolutely first class work. Get our estimates. For a short time will make special prices. Volire & Jules Dumon, 420 Peoria avenue. Phone 13565.

WANTED—With my large auto truck I am prepared to move household goods, pianos, etc., in and out of town. Truck work of all kinds. Piano moving a specialty. Arthur Phillips, headquarters at Miller Bros.' garage. Phone 362. Residence phone 13916.

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WANTED—Lots to plow, also all kinds of team work. William Otto, Phone 14101.

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WANTED. Girls at the Brown Shoe Co.

WANTED.—Any kind of work, cleaning house—making garden, raking yards, etc. Drop a card to 1010 Fargo avenue, Chicago Road.

WANTED. Ladies to sew at home, all or spare time. Good pay. Work sent prepaid. Send stamp for reply. Ivanhoe Mfg. Co., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Sewing or fancy work—to do at home. I cannot walk. must go in wheel chair. Mrs. Jennie Stoddard, 518 Ninth St., Dixon, Ill.

WANTED. Am prepared to do house cleaning, rug beating, window washing, etc. Call phone 78.

WANTED. Practical nursing. Call or phone 584, 114 College avenue. Mrs. Anna Black.

WANTED—Housework—or cleaning by the hour, also plain sewing. Mrs. J. L. Hartman, Phone 13973.

WANTED. Any kind of work. J. L. Hartman, Phone 13973.

WANTED. Lots to plow, ashes to haul, or team work of any kind. Call phone 13832.

WANTED.—To rent—Moderate sized furnished house or furnished rooms for house keeping. Address E. this office.

WANTED—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping in North Dixon preferred. Phone 119 after 6:30.

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FOR EXCHANGE. Several small tracts of land clear of encumbrance for Dixon property. Will assume or pay cash difference. Add. T. Care Telegraph.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acre tract irrigated land near Brighton, Colo. Address Mrs. Lillian Morse, Dixon, Ill.

FOR SALE. Some bargains in North Dakota land. E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, Cavalier Co., N. Dak.

FOR SALE. Good lot 60x132 feet on South Ottawa Ave. \$250. See Ray Miller at Theo. J. Miller & Sons, Cor. Galena Ave. & 2nd St.

FOR SALE. Seed corn, both white and yellow, also sweet corn. Phone 56111. J. W. Pine, R. 2, Dixon.

FOR SALE—A four burner gas range. Will sell cheap. Call at 603 North Hennepin avenue or call phone 465. Mrs. J. H. Anderson.

FOR SALE. If you want pure, clean, rich buttermilk by the gallon leave your order at E. J. Countryman with your pail. Quality the best that can be made and goods delivered.

FOR SALE. Overland touring car, as good as new. Will sell cheap. Allen N. Smith, Dixon.

FOR SALE—Black registered Percheron stallion, weight about 1900 pounds. This is a fine horse and I will sell or exchange him for a good span of mares that I can work on a farm. S. E. Johnson, real estate and loans.

FOR SALE Garden seeds, seed spring wheat, corn and potatoes. Calf meal, brewers grains, oilmeal, cotton seed meal, bran and middlings, timothy and clover. Geo. D. Laing, 93 Galena Ave.

FOR SALE. Oak bedroom set, sanitary couch with mattress, 30 feet of hose. Mrs. Moyer. Phone 12806.

FOR SALE. 7 room house with lot 50x150. One block from Catholic church, near Grand Detour factory and both depots. Short walk from town. Telephone 914.

FOR SALE. Automobile. Light Hupmobile runabout. Includes top, windshield, etc. In good running order. \$225 cash if sold at once. Call at J. E. Miller garage.

FOR SALE. North side lots, in Parsons' Addition, fronting on Fellows, Chamberlain, May streets and Squires Avenue. Prices \$250 to \$750. Cash or easy payments. In E. C. Parsons' Black Hawk Park Addition, fronting on Rock river, Upman and Boyd Streets. Prices \$150 to \$300. Cash or installments. E. C. Parsons, 523 Everett St. Phone 13479.

FOR SALE—Desirable Lots—Three Lots on East Chamberlain at \$750 each. One lot on West Second Street at \$1300; one lot on West First street at \$1300; one lot on Grant Avenue just off Third Street, 75x150 at \$500.00. We will loan one half the purchase money on any of these lots at Six per cent interest. FRUIN-TINGLE REALTY CO. Room 33 Dixon National Bank Building.

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FOR SALE. Bluff Park Home. Eight room modern house, lot 100x150. Brick paved street; sewer, gas, electricity, city water, new heating apparatus with Rheostat, bath room and a sleeping porch. House in first class condition; choice location, in preferred residence district, yet close to business center. Price on application. Will exchange, smaller house or vacant property. E. C. Parsons, 523 Everett St. Phone 13479.

FOR SALE. Choice collie pups. Phone 12867.

FOR SALE cheap Two iron bedsteads and white enamel dresser. Mrs. G. P. Powell, Phone 555.

FOR SALE. 2 cottages with 50 foot lots at \$1500 each. More ground if desired, at reasonable price. See Mary H. Duffy at Hotel Santone, or J. N. Sterling, Opera Block.

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT.—Furnished Rooms at 1007 West Fourth Street. Phone 13576. Call after six p. m.

## LOST

LOST—A small white curly French poodle dog, with brown spot on its back. Return to Mrs. L. Sherman, 122 North Peoria avenue. Phone 14746.

LOST. Crank for automobile. Finder please leave at Miller Bros.' garage.

ESTRAYED—A fox terrier dog, bearing black and tan spots on its head, and wearing a collar. Reward offered for any information concerning dog. Mrs. Lillian Benjamin, Peoria avenue.

## TIME MAILS CLOSES

The following table shows the time of the closing of all mail forwarded from the Dixon postoffice. Mail should be in the office ten minutes preceding the locking of the pouch to assure its dispatch.

**East Mail.**  
Train No. 6 ..... 3:00 a. m.  
Train No. 28 ..... 6:55 a. m.  
Train No. 20 ..... 10:40 a. m.  
Train No. 4 ..... 3:55 p. m.  
Train No. 12 ..... 5:40 p. m.  
**West Mail.**  
Train No. 5 ..... 9:40 a. m.  
Train No. 13 ..... 12:40 p. m.  
Train No. 27 ..... 7:00 p. m.  
Train No. 9 ..... 8:20 p. m.  
Train No. 15 ..... 1:30 a. m.  
**South Mail.**  
Train No. 119 ..... 6:55 a. m.  
Train No. 123 ..... 10:40 a. m.  
Train No. 131 ..... 4:50 p. m.  
**North Mail.**  
Train No. 132 ..... 9:40 a. m.  
Train No. 120 ..... 7:55 p. m.  
Train No. 124 ..... 4:50 p. m.

**INTERURBAN LINE.**  
Correct time of the departure of cars on the S., D. & E. E. Ry., in effect on February 1, 1915:

**Lv. Dixon**  
5:45  
7:30  
9:00  
10:30  
12:01  
1:00  
2:00  
3:00  
4:00  
5:00  
6:00  
7:00  
8:00  
9:00  
10:45

**Lv. Sterling**  
6:45  
8:15  
9:45  
11:15  
12:01  
1:00  
2:00  
3:00  
4:00  
5:00  
6:00  
7:00  
8:00  
9:45  
11:30

## MARKETS

Local prices paid for grain:

**Mixed White**  
Oats ..... 51 52  
White. Yellow.  
Corn ..... 66 67

**Fuel—Retail Prices.**  
Hard coal (nut) ..... \$9.60  
Hard coal (egg) ..... 9.35  
Soft coal (nut) ..... 4.25  
Soft coal (lump) ..... \$4.00 to 6.25  
Coke (Milwaukee) ..... 7.25  
Wood, oak, 4-ft. cord ..... 5.50

Local Produce Quotations.

**Pay Sell**  
Chickens ..... 17 21  
EGGS ..... 16 20  
Creamery butter ..... 35  
Dairy butter ..... 28 33  
Lard ..... 11 15  
Potatoes ..... 50 70

LOCAL MILK PRICES.

During April ..... 1.30  
3 cents extra per point will be paid for milk testing above 3 per cent butter fat.

FURNISHED BY HARRIS WINTHROP &amp; CO., CHICAGO—CHAS. ANDERSON, DIXON MANAGER.

Chicago, Apr. 13 1915

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May 158	158	156 1/2	156 3/4	
July 124 1/2	124 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2	
Sept 111 1/2	111 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2	
Corn—				
May 74	74	72 1/2	72 1/2	
July 76 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	
Sept 76 1/2	76 1/2	76	76 1/2	
Oats—				
May 57 1/2	57 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	
July 54 1/2	54 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2	
Sept 46 1/2	46 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	
Rye—				
May 1740	1750	1732	1732	
July 1795	1802	1780	1780	
Lard—				
May 1017	1022	1012	1012	
July 1045	1050	1037	1037	
Hubs—				
May 1010	1012	1007	1007	
July 1045	1045	1037	1040	

Hogs open strong to 5c higher.  
Left over—1119.  
Mixed—700 @ 745.  
Heavy—715 @ 742 1-2.  
Rough—695 @ 710.  
Light—705 @ 745.  
Cattle and sheep steady.

Receipts today—  
Hogs—15,000.  
Cattle—3,500.  
Sheep—12,000.  
Hogs close 10 to 15c lower than early prices.  
Estimated tomorrow—25,000.

## TIME TABLE

**ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.**  
Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily. Daily except Sunday South Bound.

**Local Express, Dly ex Sun 7:15 a. m.**  
123 Southern Exp. 11:10 a. m.  
121 Clinton Exp. 5:10 p. m.  
**North Bound.**  
132 Waterloo Exp. 10:06 a. m.  
120 Local Mail 5:10 p. m.  
120 Local Exp. 8:19 p. m.  
Freeport Freight 12:30 p. m.

**CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.**  
Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

**East Bound to Chicago.**  
No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago  
6 3:23 a. m. 6:45 a. m.  
24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 p. m.  
28 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun 10:30 a. m.  
18 8:05 a. m. 11:00 a. m.  
10 10:49 a. m. dly 1:30 p. m.  
20 11:01 a. m. dly ex Sun 2:25 p. m.  
4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.  
100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:25 p. m.  
12 6:10 p. m. 8:40 p. m.  
**West Bound.**  
No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon  
5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:20 a. m.  
99 7:10 a. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.  
13 10:30 a. m. 1:05 p. m.  
19 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p. m.  
27 4:29 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:26 p. m.  
11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.  
25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.  
17 9:31 p. m. 11:53 p. m.  
17 10:02 p. m. 12:36 p. m.  
3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.  
No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Peoria  
801 8:35 Peoria Pas 12:05 p. m.

**\*Los Angeles Limited.**  
No. 17 stops only for passengers to Granger, Wyo. or beyond.

**And the Boys Lead.**  
Geneva, Ill., April 13.—The storm was a busy bird in Kane county during the last three months of 1914. Four hundred and forty-two births were recorded. The boys were in the majority, 229 to 203.

**First State Aid Road Contract Let.**  
Oswego, Ill., April 13.—The contract for the first Kendall county state aid road, running south from the Kane county line in the direction of Oswego, has been awarded. The cost will be \$13,334.80.

## GRAND DETOUR

Grand Detour, April 12.—George Weyant has put up a new fence around his door yard.

Will Palmer has moved into his mother's house.

Mrs. Smith is keeping house for J. B. Taylor.

Miss Ora Mon returned to Manteo, Ill., Monday, where she is teaching school.

Mrs. Harry Baker of Mt. Morris spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tholen. Mr. and Mrs. Loomis Stull and his father of Polo, called on friends on Wednesday.

The Pine Creek Telephone company has installed a phone in the home of W. L. Palmer.

Smith Breed of Stockton, Ill., spent a few days last week with C. A. Sheffield and other relatives.

John Warner and Dan Wakenight are working near Nelson doing bridge work.

The Lee County Telephone company installed a phone for Mrs. Caroline Remmers last week.

J. W. Pankhurst of Temperance Hill, spent a few days last week at the Dr. Pankhurst home.

George Weyant and wife drove to Dixon Tuesday.

Will Winebrenner moved his family to their new home Monday.

Mrs. Victor Jones and son of Freeport are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mon.

The Aid society met at their hall all day Thursday.

Mrs. C. W. Johnson and daughter Miss Bess, of Dixon, spent a day or two here with Mrs. Jerome Cox, last week.

Dr. J. Pankhurst drove to Dixon Tuesday on business.

Mr. John Mumma is having a new door yard fence put up. Bert Flick is doing the work.

Mrs. Ed Isenberg and Dan Wakenight spent Friday in Dixon shopping.

Arthur Sheffield is at home for a few days.

Alfred Reese has put up a new fence around his property.

Harry Mon has a new horse and buggy.

George Remmers and family and his mother were in Dixon Saturday shopping.

Mrs. Harriet Dudley spent Wednesday in Dixon with her daughter, Mrs. Nellie J. gi.

Amber Tholen came home Friday afternoon to visit her parents returning to Mt. Morris Sunday.

Mrs. J. Reese of Pine Creek spent Friday night with her daughter, Mrs. John Warner.

James French and sister, Mrs. Wakenight, drove to Polo Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Wakenight will spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Barney Lawyer.

John Teeter and wife of Dixon, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Lawyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Cole and Mr. and Mrs. John Brink visited at the Albert Tholen home Sunday.

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Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Worley had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Laura A. DuVon to C E Harmon qcd \$1 sh neq swq and swq seq 32 Willow Creek and lot 15 Assessor's plat Pawpaw.

Bridget Morrissey to Thomas Morrissey wd \$1 undiv h wh nwq 35 Marion.

Charles E Keelen to T H Hemmerer wd \$26,200 swq 23 Hamilton.

John W Wagner to Geo B Stephan wd \$800 lots 12 13 Quick & Wagners add Ashton.

Geo B Stephan to N E Petrie wd \$500 same as last.

Johanna Edwards of Edwin Edwards Jr. wd \$1 eh seq 2, eh neq 11, nwq 12 Willow Creek.



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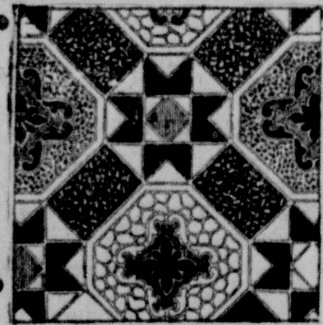
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100 pairs of women's colored cloth  
tops, pair .....\$1.75  
Children's gun metal button, sizes 6  
to 8, pair .....\$1.00  
Children's gun metal button, sizes  
8½ to 11½, pair .....\$1.25  
Misses gun metal button, sizes 12 to  
2, pair .....\$1.50  
Boys' gun metal button, sizes 9 to  
13, pair .....\$1.00

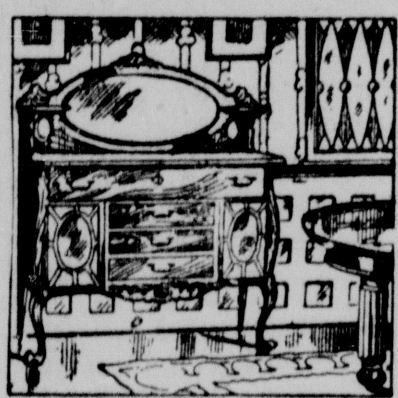
#### RUBBERS.

Men's rubber boots, pair .....\$2.85  
Boys' rubber boots, sizes 3 to 6,  
pair .....\$2.25  
pair .....\$1.65  
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### SAYS RUSS ARE REPULSED

Vienna Reports Czar's Troops Have  
Suffered Severely in Carpathians  
Vienna, Austria (via London), April  
13.—An official statement on the war  
situation given out in Vienna reads:  
"In Russian Poland and in western  
Galicia there have been artillery en-  
gagements. In the Carpathians, espe-  
cially in the district east of the Uzak  
pass, several Russian attacks have  
been repulsed with heavy losses to  
the enemy. We took 830 prisoners.  
In southeast Galicia and in Bukovina  
there have been some heavy artillery  
engagements."

### TANZER SISTERS INDICTED

They Are Charged With Perjury in  
Alleged Blackmail.

New York, April 13.—Dora and  
Rose Tanzer, sisters of Rae Tanzer,  
were indicted for perjury by the Fed-  
eral grand jury which has been in-  
vestigating the charge that Rae Tan-  
zer used the mails in an attempt to  
defraud James V. Osborne.  
The indictment charges that Dora  
and Rose Tanzer committed perjury  
by identifying James V. Osborne as  
the man who had called upon their  
sister at the Tanzer home in the  
Bronx.

Sinks Submarine, Cets \$5,800.

London, April 13.—The captain of  
the steamer Thordis has been pre-  
sented with \$5,800 for having sunk  
a German submarine.

Automobile and carriage painting.  
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member of your family to sign the  
contract when my agent calls on you,  
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This oil does not track into your  
house; it stays on the street.

We hereby agree .....  
as party of the first part and all parties  
hereinafter signing as parties of the  
second part to the following:

Party of the first part agrees to  
sweep and oil street or road herein  
mentioned for amount stated in this  
contract. Oil to be a guaranteed 60%  
Asphaltic road oil to be applied hot  
and under a pressure of not greater  
than 60 lbs. Oil to be sprayed on sur-  
face of street or road so it will not  
puddle or run leaving a smooth, sleek  
surface shortly after being applied.  
For such sweeping or oiling of said  
street or road parties of the second  
part agree to pay party of the first  
part ..... per square yard  
for one application and .....  
cents per square yard for two appli-  
cations.

Payment for each application due  
immediately upon completion of each  
application.

Each street to be swept and oiled  
at time herein stated, first application  
.....  
Second application .....  
..... a reasonable allowance  
must be made regarding weather con-  
ditions.

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versity graduate will tutor those  
preparing for college entrance, high  
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sistance in school work.

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t f f Phone 307.

#### NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the mem-  
bers of the Citizens' Association will  
be held at the City Hall Thursday ev-  
ening, April 15, at 8 o'clock, for the  
purpose of electing directors, and the  
transaction of such other business as  
may properly come before the meet-  
ing.

E. B. RAYMOND,  
Secretary.

#### NOTICE.

I hereby notify all concerned that  
my wife, having deserted me, I will  
not be responsible for bills contract-  
ed by her. John Bott. 871\*

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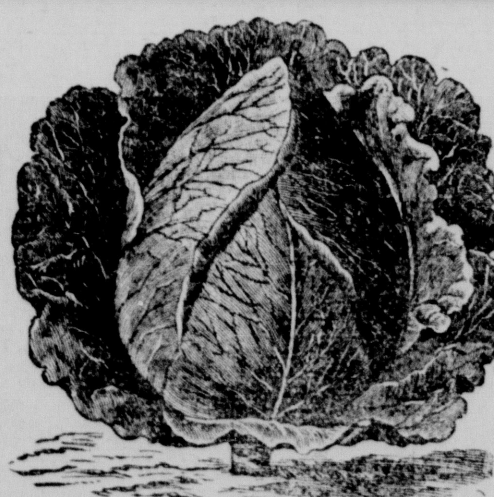
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